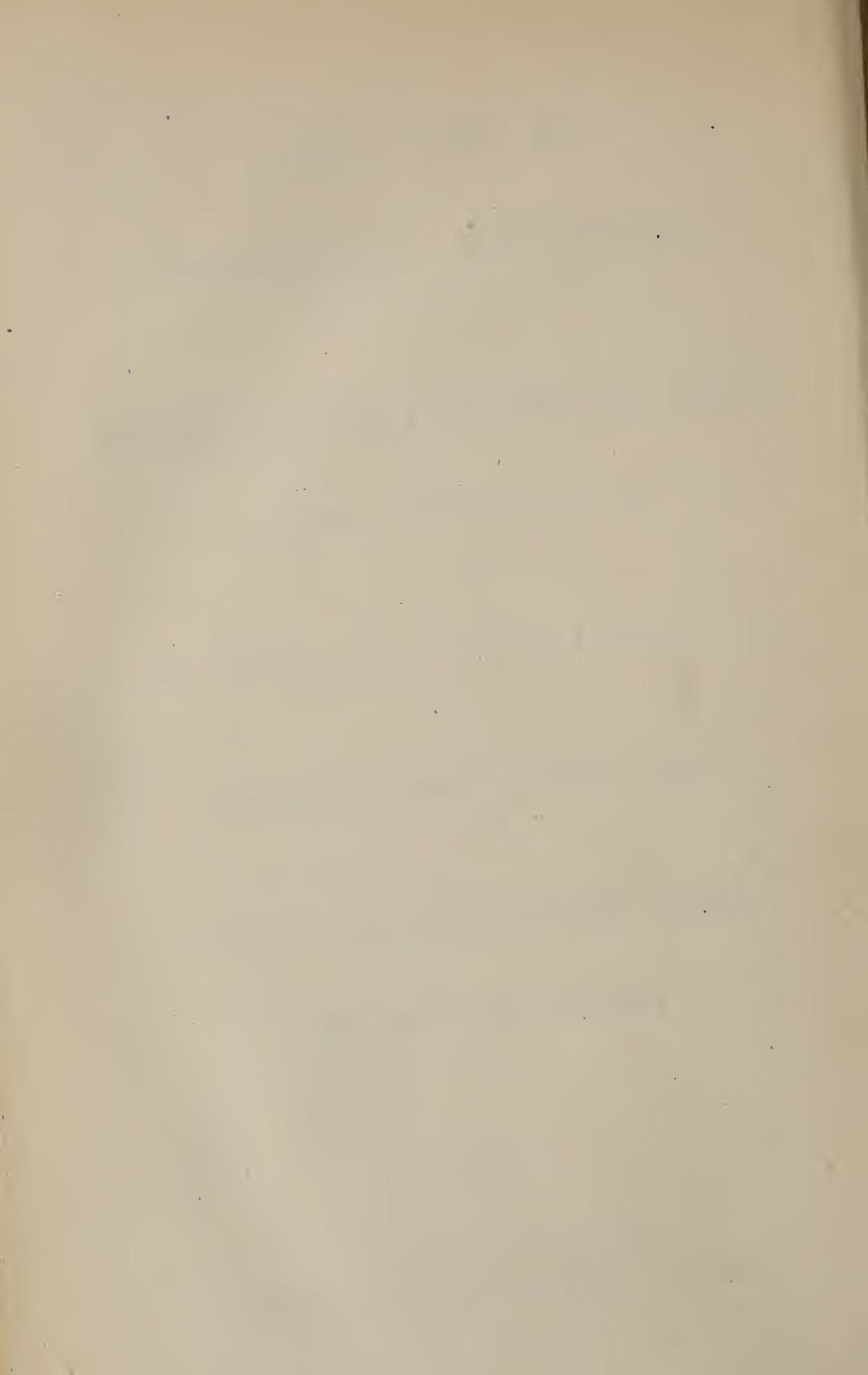


THE EIGHTY-SIXTH
ANNUAL REPORT
OF
THE TOWN OFFICERS
OF WAKEFIELD, MASS.,
FOR
THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDING JAN. 31, 1898.
ALSO
THE TOWN CLERK'S RECORD
OF THE
BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS
DURING THE YEAR 1897.

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TOWN OFFICERS, 1897-98.

SELECTMEN.

EDWARD A. UPTON, *Chairman*;
CHARLES E. WALTON, *Sec'y*; WILLIAM P. SHEPARD,
JAMES F. MANSFIELD, DANIEL EVANS.

TOWN CLERK—CHARLES F. HARTSHORNE.

TOWN TREASURER—THOMAS J. SKINNER.

MUNICIPAL LIGHT BOARD.

CHARLES H. SPENCER, *Chairman*, . Term expires, 1899
ELROY N. HEATH, *Secretary*, . . . " " 1898
CURTIS L. SOPHER, . . . " " 1900

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

HIRAM EATON, *Chairman*; WILLIS S. MASON, *Sec'y*;
WILLIAM A. CUTTER.

ASSESSORS.

ALSTEAD W. BROWNELL, *Chairman*;
CHAS. A. DEAN, CHAS. F. HARTSHORNE, *Sec'y*.

AUDITORS.

EVERETT W. EATON, ALBERT W. FLINT,
GEORGE W. LINNELL.

COLLECTORS OF TAXES.

CHARLES F. WOODWARD, CHARLES E. WALTON.

ENGINEERS OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.

LEVI FLANDERS, *Chief*; WILLIAM E. CADE, *Sec'y*;
 HORACE W. DAIRYMPLE.

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS.

EDWARD H. WALTON,	.	.	.	Term expires, 1899
CORNELIUS DONOVAN,	.	.	.	" " 1900
WESLEY T. HARRIS,	.	.	.	" " 1898
CHARLES F. HARTSHORNE	<i>(ex-officio)</i> .			

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

ASHTON H. THAYER, <i>Chairman</i> ,	.	.	.	Term expires, 1898
SELIM S. WHITE,	.	.	.	" " 1899
ELIZA M. GREENWOOD,	.	.	.	" " 1899
IDA F. CARLISLE,	.	.	.	" " 1898
MELVIN J. HILL,	.	.	.	" " 1900
WILLIAM B. DANIEL, <i>Sec'y and Treas.</i> ,	.	.	.	" " 1900
CHARLES E. HUSSEY, <i>Supt. of Schools</i> .				

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY.

HARRY FOSTER,	.	.	.	Term expires, 1900
MAITLAND P. FOSTER,	.	.	.	" " 1900
PETER S. ROBERTS,	.	.	.	" " 1900
OLON O. RICHARDSON,	.	.	.	" " 1898
THOMAS WINSHIP,	.	.	.	" " 1898
WILLIAM W. TAFT,	.	.	.	" " 1898
OTIS V. WATERMAN,	.	.	.	" " 1899
WILLIAM E. ROGERS,	.	.	.	" " 1899
ASHTON H. THAYER,	.	.	.	" " 1899
THOMAS J. SKINNER	<i>(ex-officio)</i> .			

FISH COMMITTEE.

SAMUEL PARKER, WILLIAM HARRINGTON WILEY,
 JACOB C. HARTSHORNE.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

W. H. McCAUSLAND,	Term expires, 1898
DR. J. W. HEATH,	" " 1900
JOSIAH S. BONNEY,	" " 1899

FENCE VIEWERS.

ROGER HOWARD, CHARLES H. STEARNS,
 GEORGE H. TEAGUE.

POLICE.

ALVIN L. VANNAH, *Chief*;

JAMES A. McFADDEN,	JOHN A. MELONEY.
EDWIN F. POLAND,	GEO. H. POTTER,
JOHN H. BUCKLEY,	JOHN DAY,
CHARLES S. MERRILL,	WARREN B. WILEY,
RUFUS F. DRAPER,	FRANK H. ROBINSON,
N. A. HEATH,	ASHLEY E. COOPER,
ANDREW G. ANDERSON,	C. H. R. DUNN.

CONSTABLES.

EDWIN F. POLAND, JAMES A. McFADDEN,
 ALVIN L. VANNAH.

HIGHWAY SURVEYOR—SOLON WALTON.

PARK COMMISSIONERS.

CHARLES H. HAWES, GEORGE H. MADDOCK,
 EUGENE S. HINCKLEY.

INSPECTOR OF MILK—JOSIAH S. BONNEY.

TOWN COUNSEL—EDWARD A. UPTON.

For list of other Town Officers, not chosen by ballot, see report of Annual Town Meeting.

LIST OF JURORS

ACCEPTED BY THE TOWN NOVEMBER 8, 1897.

Anderson, C. O.
 Abbott, George W.
 Atwood, Frank H.
 Ayscough, Charles
 Bailey, Bert L.
 Barker, Edward
 Bessey, William W.
 Biggs, William Jr.
 Bridger, William J.
 Blanchard, George A.
 Brownell, Alstead W.
 Bryant, Albert R.
 Cade, William E.
 Calkins, James H.
 Carter, James H.
 Cowdrey, Nathaniel
 Clapp, Frank A.
 Classen, Charles E.
 Connell, Hugh
 Connell, Joseph H.
 Davenport, Charles F.
 Donovan, Cornelius
 Dwyer, Thomas E.
 Eaton, Willard G.
 Eaton, Isaac F.
 Evans, Charles A.
 Fell, Thomas W. H.
 Flanley, John

Flanders, Philip J.
 Flint, Luther W.
 Foster, Maitland P.
 Foster, Linnell
 Gilman, George K.
 Gould, William Henry
 Gove, Merrill W.
 Gray, Alexander H.
 Greany, Dennis
 Grant, Frank E.
 Greenough, Arthur
 Greenough, William S.
 Hart, George E.
 Hayden, Frank W.
 Heath, Nathan A.
 Hickey, James A.
 Hines, Elmer R.
 Haley, George P.
 Harris, Frank S.
 Hines, Nathaniel
 Houston, Donald M.
 Jenkins, J. W.
 Killorin, George W.
 Kelley, Frank
 Kelly, Patrick J.
 Kernan, Thomas
 Keefe, James P.
 Lee, Edward E.

Low, Joseph K.
 Low, Joseph K. Jr.
 Low, Michael
 Lucas, George F.
 Mansfield, Austin L.
 Mansfield, William J.
 Mansfield, Stanley A.
 Mansfield, James F.
 MacQuinn, William U.
 McCausland, William H.
 Miller, Edwin C.
 Nickerson, Franklin
 Oliver, Ernest E.
 Painter, Thomas I.
 Parker, Moses P.
 Perkins, Joseph E.
 Perkins, William K.
 Purrington, E. I.
 Parker, William D.
 Parker, Samuel
 Robertson, James
 Regan, John J.
 Reid, James R.
 Richardson, Solon O.
 Ringer, Josiah H.
 Smith, George E.

Sale, John A.
 Sanborn, Oliver G.
 Sanborn, John A.
 Savage, Harry W.
 Scovell, George H.
 Sheldon, Otis E.
 Stowell, George H.
 Simonds, Harry A.
 Stewart, John J.
 Strong, William G.
 Turner, Otis G.
 Tyzzer, George R.
 Walton, Daniel G.
 Walton, Solon
 Walton, Charles E.
 Walton, S. Leman
 Waterman, Otis V.
 White, Samuel P.
 Wiley, Peter B.
 Wiley, William Harrington
 Woodward, Charles F.
 Woodward, James F.
 Wright, Albert J.
 Ward, Windsor M.
 Young, William F.

RECORD OF TOWN MEETINGS

FOR THE YEAR ENDING JAN. 31, 1898.

TOWN MEETING, FEBRUARY 1, 1897.

Article 1. To choose a moderator.

Darius Hadley was elected moderator.

Voted. To take up article 5.

Art. 5. To see if the town will authorize the treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, to hire a sum of money equal to the amount appropriated since the tax levy of 1896 on a term not exceeding one year, and to issue the notes of the town therefor, or what it will do about it.

Voted. To so authorize.

Voted. To take up remaining articles in their order.

Art. 2. To hear and act upon the report of the committee appointed under article 13 of the warrant calling the town meeting held November 9, A. D. 1896.

Committee presented report of which the following is a summary.

THE COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

The report is a somewhat lengthy document, containing over twenty-five type-written pages.

After giving an account of the committee's organization, the appointment of sub-committees and the public meeting held Dec. 8, 1896, the report states that the information sought by the sub-committees was not made in the spirit of criticism or investigation concerning individuals or officials, but that the scope of the inquiries was in the interest of procuring lower taxation and a

lower tax rate. After treating upon the general subject of taxation, the \$20 tax rate is considered and termed as unnecessary. The cost of municipal government in Wakefield, in 1895, as based upon the census of that year, was \$17.11 per each man, woman and child; while in Milford the cost was \$12.42; Peabody, \$11.14; Natick, \$13.92; Melrose, \$14.09; Reading, \$15.65; Hyde Park, \$12.00 and Marblehead, \$21.40.

Unnecessary or special appropriations are next considered and disapproved of. The concluding sentence of the paragraph reads: "The 'I tickle you and you tickle me' program has been too frequently carried out in the town for either its honor or welfare." Frequent town meetings are condemned, and only two meetings per year recommended. The publication of all sorts and kinds of articles in the town warrants is dealt with vigorously, especially those calling for large appropriations at special meetings. In speaking of highway appropriations the report says: "It should be the settled policy of the town, never to depart from, that it would not build streets through parcels of land whose owners thus seek to enhance the value of their property, and no town way should be accepted by the town through such property until it is thoroughly constructed, sidewalks built and drainage facilities furnished."

The supervision of the schools cannot be modified to any considerable extent without detriment, and if the number of schools cannot be reduced the appropriations for the ensuing year must be larger than the past. "We recommend that after the year 1897 the number of the school committee be increased to 9. This will cause no additional expense."

Regarding the expenses of the poor department, "your committee are of the opinion that a substantial saving can be made, not so much upon the present lines, as upon different ones." The committee disapproves of farming in connection with this department. The condition of the farm is then commented on, and it is suggested that a portion of the farm be sold, and that only a few acres be reserved for cultivation, such as the superintendent and those living upon the farm can care for without hiring extra hands. Horses are considered unnecessary, in view of the advent of the electric cars in that vicinity. The committee dis-

approves of the custom of hiring the superintendent of the farm prior to the March meeting. The tramp nuisance is then handled. Over 2000 have been entertained by the town the past year. "Nothing like a wood-saw or a stone hammer, located at the right point, will encourage these gentlemen to seek greener pastures," says the report. While the law provides a fee (twenty cents in Wakefield's case) for the lock-up keeper, this expense should be part of the janitor's duty, and he should be paid a fixed sum for his services. The appointment of a town physician at a fixed salary is recommended for the overseers' department.

Highways are then considered in the report. A reduction in appropriations is recommended for a few years; also that all bills due the town should be collected forthwith, and that hereafter no concrete work be done until a sum of money is deposited by abutters desiring the work. Teams and men should be hired to work at as low a rate for the town as they will work elsewhere.

A change in the fire alarm system is recommended.

Regarding the municipal light plant, the only recommendation is the discontinuance of the morning lights, which cost \$600 per year at present.

Miscellaneous appropriations are then considered, and it is recommended that separate appropriations be made for military aid, soldiers' relief, printing and advertising, town solicitor's salary, insurance premiums, R. L. G. expenses, physician's salary, etc. The present cost of advertising the town warrant is disapproved of, and it is recommended that the selectmen should designate one paper as the official newspaper of the town. As a matter of public policy it is recommended that the town clerk act as clerk of the boards of selectmen, overseers and assessors, at a proper salary. A town solicitor at a fixed salary is recommended.

The matter of assessment of real estate and personal property is considered at length, and accurate maps of the town are recommended, to cost between \$2000 and \$3000. The committee recommend taxpayers and citizens to exercise a careful scrutiny of all appropriations asked for. "We should be the judges of what we can afford. All citizens ought to take an active participation in the management of the affairs of the town, to the end that no extravagant, unnecessary or illegal appropriations be

made." A summary of the committee's inquiries recommended for adoption by the town, appears below in full:

RULE I. The selectmen shall not insert in any warrant for a town meeting any article calling or looking for the appropriation of money, either at that or any subsequent meeting, except for the ordinary annual appropriations, unless a request in writing therefor signed by ten or more legal voters is filed with them at least fifteen days prior to the time fixed for said meeting, and the selectmen shall append to each such article the name of the first person signing said request and the words "and others." Said request shall be filed and kept by the selectmen till after the final adjournment of any town meeting at which any action can be taken under said article.

RULE II. There shall be chosen by the town prior to the annual meeting for 1897 a finance committee consisting of fifteen legal voters, five to hold office for the period of one year from the annual meeting of 1897, five for the period of two years, and five for the period of three years, and at each subsequent annual town meeting after 1897 five members of said committee shall be chosen to take the place of those members whose term of office shall expire with said meeting. Said committee shall organize by the choice of a chairman and secretary and shall cause to be kept a true record of its proceedings.

It shall be the duty of the selectmen to lay before said committee a list of the ordinary appropriations considered necessary to be made on or before the thirty-first day of January in each year. Said committee shall require the various boards of town officers having such expenditures in charge to appear before them during the month of February at such time and place as said committee may appoint for conference upon said appropriation, and it shall be the duty of said boards of town officers to appear before said committee at the times and places so named. And no appropriation of money shall be made until it is reported upon by said committee.

Each article calling or looking for the appropriation of money other than the ordinary appropriations above referred to shall, by early declaration of the moderator at the first session of any town meeting, be referred to said finance committee without

debate. Said committee, unless a similar antedate hearing shall have been already held, shall give the person whose name appears attached to said article notice of the time and place of hearing thereon. No appropriation of money under any such article shall be made until after an actual hearing shall have been held and the report of said finance committee thereon made to the town.

It shall be the duty of the selectmen, within three days after drawing a town warrant containing appropriation articles, to transmit copies of the same to the finance committee, in order that said committee may, by consideration of such articles and due hearing thereon of parties interested, when they deem advisable, be in readiness to act promptly and intelligently when such articles shall be referred to them under the provision aforesaid.

RULE III. Whenever the selectmen or road commissioners make a report to the town recommending the laying out or altering of a town way, said report shall be laid upon the table without action, and the selectmen shall put an article in the warrant calling the next town meeting to act upon said report.

RULE IV. It shall be the duty of the finance committee to make an annual report of its doings, with recommendations for municipal appropriations in the various departments for the ensuing year, to be printed with the annual reports of other town officers.

Second, we recommend that the town at this meeting choose a finance committee in accordance with the second rule, and in accordance with the third article of this warrant.

Third, we recommend that the town cause a complete and accurate survey and map of the town to be made for the use of the assessors as soon as practicable, and that the same be authorized at this meeting, and provision made for the contract therefor.

Fourth, we recommend that the remainder of this report be adopted by the town as its policy upon the matter reported upon, and that the officers of the town be directed to so consider it, and for the purpose of carrying it into effect so far as practicable at once, we recommend that the selectmen be instructed to insert in the town warrant for the next annual town meeting the following articles :

Article 1. To see if the town will adopt some new method of calling its meetings, or what it will do about it.

Article 2. To see what action the town will take relative to the sale of some part of the town farm.

Article 3. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to appoint a town physician and fix his salary, or what it will do about it.

Article 4. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to appoint a town solicitor and fix his salary, or what it will do about it.

Article 5. To see if the town will authorize a change in the fire alarm, as recommended in this report, or what it will do about it.

Article 6. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the lighting of the street lights in the morning, or what it will do about it.

Article 7. To see if the town will vote to increase the number of its school committee after the year 1897, or what it will do about it.

The moderator ruled that the report would be received if no one objected, thereby accepting the document and discharging the committee.

Motion to consider the recommendations of the committee separately was lost.

Voted. That the selectmen be instructed to separate the recommendations of the committee in relation to selling the town farm and have two articles inserted in a town warrant so the town can sell the tools and utensils without selling the land.

Voted. To adopt the committee's report.

Motion to reconsider lost.

Art. 3. To choose a finance committee of fifteen, five for three years, five for two years and five for one year in accordance with the report of the committee referred to in the above article, or what they will do about it.

Voted. That the chair appoint a committee of five to retire and nominate a committee of fifteen.

The chair appointed Mr. Flint, E. C. Miller, D. M. Houston, P. S. Roberts and James F. Emerson.

Later, the committee nominated the following persons, who were approved of by the town and declared elected: For three years, Solon O. Richardson, Harvey B. Evans, Chester W. Eaton, William H. Lee, Darius Hadley; two years, William G. Strong, George H. Smith, F. O. Clark, Junius Beebe, Tobias Libbey; one year, Albert R. Perkins, J. C. Hartshorne, G. H. S. Driver, A. E. Duffill, C. A. Dean.

Art. 4. To see if the town will vote to cause a complete and accurate survey and plan of the town to be made for the use of the assessors and to authorize a contract therefore, or what they will do about it.

Voted. To do so and that a committee of five be appointed to carry out the recommendations of the article.

Chair appointed Chester W. Eaton, Geo. M. Thompson, Donald M. Houston, R. S. Stout and Albert R. Perkins.

Voted. To adjourn for one week at 7.30 p. m.

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING, FEB. 8, 1897.

Moderator Darius Hadley called the meeting to order at 7.40 o'clock. Mr. Hadley announced that Solon O. Richardson and Harvey B. Evans had declined to serve on the finance committee and the matter was referred to the nominating committee appointed at the previous meeting.

Article 6. To see if the town will authorize and instruct its board of selectmen to obtain a policy of insurance to insure the town from liability from accidents occurring upon its highways and streets, or what it will do about it.

Voted. That the subject be investigated by the selectmen and that a report be given at the annual town meeting.

Art. 7. To see if the town will authorize its highway surveyor or any person or board of town officers lawfully charged with

the care, repair, or the building of its highways and streets to sell loam or street scrapings obtained from said highways and streets and to credit all money so received during the current fiscal year to any highway appropriation raised and appropriated by said town for said year and to report in the annual town report his or their doings thereon, or what it will do about it.

Voted. To lay the subject on the table.

Art. 8. To see if the town will discontinue the town or private way known as Pearl street running from Myrtle avenue in the town of Wakefield easterly across the location of the Boston and Maine railroad to the junction of Grove and Hanson streets in said town, or what it will do about it.

Voted. That the subject-matter of this article be referred to a committee of five to investigate and report at the annual town meeting.

Chair appointed Michael Low, Jas. H. Carter, H. H. Savage, J. C. Hartshorne, B. A. Osgood.

Art. 9. To see if the town will discontinue the town or private way running in a southeasterly direction from Brown street so-called in the town of Wakefield, to Main street in said town, across the location of the Boston and Maine railroad, about nine hundred and sixty-three feet southerly from the location of the town or private way known as Pearl street and at a point known as Drake's crossing in said town, or what it will do about it.

Voted. To refer to the committee appointed under article 8.

Art. 10. To hear and act upon the report of the committee appointed under article 8 of the town meeting of November 9, last past, in relation to the acceptance of the Australian system of voting in caucuses hereafter to be held in town for the nomination of town officers, or what it will do about it.

Voted. To indefinitely postpone.

Art. 11. To see if the town will authorize its selectmen to obtain a lease of certain land for the purpose of being used as a rifle range, as required by law so to do, or what it will do about it.

Voted. To so authorize.

Art. 12. To see what is the sentiment of the voters of Wakefield in reference to the closing of the postoffice on the Sabbath day, or what they will do about it.

Voted. To indefinitely postpone.

Art. 13. To hear and act upon the report of a committee chosen under article 28 of the annual meeting held March 3, 1896, to see what action the town will take relative to water which collects on the highway at the intersection of Pleasant and Sweetser streets, or what it will do about it.

Hon. Richard Britton reported on behalf of the committee. Upon recommendation of the committee it was voted to refer the matter to the selectmen to employ legal advice, if necessary, in ascertaining the town's rights in the matter.

Art. 14. To hear and act upon the report of the committee appointed by the town to select a public burial lot of land, or what it will do about it.

Maj. Tyler reported that four of five lots had already been visited by the committee and that another available lot of land had been brought to the committee's attention this week. Upon motion of Maj. Tyler, further time was granted the committee.

Art. 15. To hear and act on the report of the committee appointed at the last town meeting to investigate the damage done to Mary L. Maxwell's property on the southerly side of West Chestnut street, corner of Cedar street, by the overflow of water from the street, caused by insufficient drainage, or what it will do about it.

J. C. Hartshorne asked for further time and it was granted.

Art. 16. To see if the town will appropriate the sum of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1500) for the re-seating of the town hall, or what it will do about it.

Voted. To indefinitely postpone.

S. W. Flint, on behalf of the nomination committee, then reported. The resignation of J. C. Hartshorne was received and accepted and the names of Richard S. Stont, Joseph

M. Skully and William P. Shepard were added to fill the vacancies caused by the three resignations.

On motion of Capt. Carter, the town voted unanimously to tender its thanks to Mr Hadley for his satisfactory services as moderator.

The meeting adjourned at 9.15 o'clock.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, MARCH 1, 1897.

PRECINCT ONE.

Meeting called to order in Wakefield's block at 6 o'clock a. m., by Town Clerk Charles F. Hartshorne, who read the warrant and then swore in the following election officers:

Warden, W. J. Mansfield.

Clerk, J. Fred Parker.

Inspectors, P. B. Wiley, Michael Low, C. Donovan, W. S. Dennison, F. S. Hartshorne, J. W. Grace, J. P. Keefe, C. L. Jones, E. H. Walton, Geo. E. Hart.

Tellers, Chas. H. Sweetser, A. S. Johnson, S. T. Parker, R. F. Draper, P. J. Kelly, S. B. Dearborn, J. P. Kelley, C. C. West, E. S. Jacob, J. A. Hickey, E. P. McDonald, H. A. Simonds.

Total ballots cast, 1065 males, 4 females.

Polls were closed at 4.30 p. m.

PRECINCT TWO.

The following election officers were sworn by Willard G. Eaton, Warden: R. D. Jones, H. W. Walton, H. E. Alden, N. A. Heath, A. M. Baxter, A. H. Thayer, A. E. Parks, A. E. Duffill and R. L. Pitman.

Polls were closed at 4.30 p. m.

Total ballots cast 144 males.

The result of the vote by precincts, together with the total vote, is as follows:

					Precincts.		Totals.
					1	2	
TOWN CLERK.							
*Chas. F. Hartshorne,	.	.	.	.	700	95	795
Scattering.	.	.	.	.	12	000	12
Blank,	.	.	.	.	353	49	402

TOWN TREASURER.			
*Thomas J. Skinner,	762	96	858
Scattering,	2	000	2
Blank,	301	48	349

SELECTMEN.			
*Daniel Evans,	581	109	690
*James F. Mansfield,	779	81	860
Hoyt B. Parker,	535	63	598
Richard S. Stout,	505	44	549
*Wm. P. Shepard,	568	58	626
*Edward A. Upton,	644	60	704
*Charles E. Walton,	674	88	762
Scattering,	4	000	4
Blank,	1035	217	1252

ASSESSORS.			
*Alstead W. Brownell,	510	52	562
*Charles A. Dean,	524	63	587
Will Everett Eaton,	355	60	415
*Charles F. Hartshorne,	539	62	601
George W. Kimball,	236	46	282
Chas. F. Woodward,	462	55	517
Scattering,	3	000	3
Blank,	566	94	660

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.			
*Wm. A. Cutter,	695	71	766
*Hiram Eaton,	663	76	739
Alexander Glass,	421	69	490
*Willis S. Mason,	480	41	521
Thomas F. Ringer,	351	78	429
Scattering,	1	000	1
Blank,	584	107	691

HIGHWAY SURVEYOR.

Henry Davis,	358	16	374
*Solon Walton,	641	114	755
Blank,	66	14	80

COLLECTOR OF TAXES.

*Chas. F. Woodward,	705	94	799
Scattering,	20	000	20
Blank,	340	50	390

TRUSTEES OF BEEBE TOWN LIBRARY FOR THREE YEARS.

Richard J. Cuff,	380	34	414
*Harry Foster,	732	92	824
*Maitland P. Foster,	581	89	670
*Peter S. Roberts,	670	78	748
Blank,	832	149	981

SCHOOL COMMITTEE FOR THREE YEARS.

*William B. Daniel,	479	70	549
*Melvin J. Hill,	489	61	550
Joseph A. O'Leary,	351	4	355
Wm. N. Tyler,	379	68	447
Scattering,	2	000	2
Blank,	438	85	523

CONSTABLES.

*James A. McFadden,	864	88	952
*Edwin F. Poland,	800	96	896
*Alvin L. Vannah,	730	100	830
Scattering,	7	1	8
Blank,	794	147	941

BOARD OF HEALTH FOR THREE YEARS.

*Joseph W. Heath, M.D.,	821	102	923
William G. Strong,	105	15	120
Blank,	139	27	166

BOARD OF HEALTH FOR TWO YEARS.

*Josiah S. Bonney,	538	62	600
Stephen E. Ryder,	196	19	215
Oliver G. Sanborn,	135	21	156
Blank,	196	42	238

PARK COMMISSIONERS.

*Chas. H. Hawes,	702	80	782
*Eugene S. Hinckley,	666	77	743
*George H. Maddock,	691	81	772
Scattering,	14	000	14
Blank,	1122	194	1316

MUNICIPAL LIGHT BOARD FOR THREE YEARS.

Silas W. Flint,	412	85	497
*Curtis L. Sopher,	572	43	615
Scattering,	1	000	1
Blank,	80	16	96

AUDITORS.

*Everett W. Eaton,	750	96	846
*Albert W. Flint,	719	105	824
*George W. Linnell,	762	92	854
Scattering,	7	000	7
Blank,	957	139	1096

FISH COMMITTEE.

*J. C. Hartshorne,	725	94	819
*Samuel Parker,	715	89	804
*Wm. H. Wiley,	702	91	793
Scattering,	13	000	13
Blank,	1040	158	1198

FENCE VIEWERS.

Charles H. Stearns,	10	000	10
George H. Teague,	12	000	12
Roger Howard,	16	2	18
Blank,	3050	416	3466

LICENSE VOTE.

Yes,	448	27	475
No,	470	81	551
Blank,	147	36	183

The ballots and check lists were sealed and delivered to the town clerk.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, MARCH 8, 1897.

Town Clerk Hartshorne called the meeting to order at 7.30 o'clock and read that portion of the warrant relating to the transaction of town business.

Voted. That the town clerk deposit one ballot for Darius Hadley, for moderator, and Mr. Hadley was duly declared elected.

Mr. Hadley announced that in accordance with the town's newly adopted policy, that the following articles would be referred to the finance committee for consideration: Articles 18, 21, 23, 26, 27, 28, 29, 34, 41, 42, 43, 44, 46, 48, 49, 50, 51.

Article 2. To act upon the acceptance of the reports of town officers as published.

Voted. To accept the reports.

That all departments of the town be instructed in their future reports to give the amounts of outstanding bills and salaries unpaid at the date of February first of each year.

Art. 3. To choose all town officers not required by law to be chosen by ballot.

Voted. That a committee of five be appointed to report a list of town officers not required by law to be chosen by ballot.

The moderator appointed Mr. Strong, J. A. Hickey, P. S. Roberts, J. H. Carter and W. A. Cutter.

Art. 4. To see if the town will authorize its treasurer to hire money to pay all demands in anticipation of taxes.

Voted. That the town treasurer be authorized, with the approval of the selectmen, to hire money in anticipation of the taxes of the current municipal year, and to issue notes of the town therefor; and all debts so incurred shall be paid from said taxes.

Art. 5. To raise and appropriate money for the following purposes, to wit: For payment of the town debt and interest, for school purposes, support of the poor, repairs of highways

and bridges and determine how the same shall be expended, fire department, public library and reading room, salaries of town officers, town house expenses, miscellaneous expenses, annual rental of hydrants, police department, common and park improvement, municipal light board, and all other necessary town charges.

Moved that that portion of article 5 relating to miscellaneous expenses be referred to the finance committee, inasmuch as article 23 had been so referred.

Voted. To refer.

Voted. To raise and appropriate the following sums for the various departments mentioned in article 5:

Interest on town debt, \$14,000.

Support of schools, \$28,000.

School contingent fund, \$2,000.

School supplies, \$2,250.

Support of poor. Voted to lay on table.

Fire department, \$3,800; \$600 of which to be expended under the direction of the Forest Firewards.

Voted. That the superintendent of schools be instructed to turn into the town treasury all money received by him as tuition, and that the same shall be credited to the appropriation from which tuition bills against the town are paid.

Moved that \$5,500 be appropriated for the municipal light plant, to include \$3,500 for general expenses, \$1,000 for electric extensions and \$1,000 for gas main extensions.

Moved that the matter be referred to the finance committee, and it was so voted.

Voted. \$1,500 for town house expenses, with the receipts of the hall.

Voted. \$8,000 for the highway department, \$7,000 for general and \$1,000 for running the stone crusher.

Voted. \$500 for concrete sidewalks, repairs and crossings.

Voted. Salaries of town officers, \$4,305 to be divided as follows:

Highway surveyor, \$800 and \$100 for use of horse; town clerk, \$200; treasurer, \$400; selectmen, \$600; assessors,

\$600; overseers, \$300; collector, \$500; surveyor, \$800; board of health, \$50; registrars, \$215; auditors, \$215; engineers, \$100; fire wardens, \$75; municipal light board, \$250; police department, \$1,200; night-watch, \$1,800.

Voted. \$300 for library purposes, together with the dog tax of 1893, which amounts to \$593. The dog tax of that year was unexpended by the town during that year.

Voted. \$175 for the public reading room.

Voted. \$500 for common and park expenses.

Voted. \$250 for edgestones where abutters pay one-half; and that persons applying for edgestones be required to deposit the money for their share at the time of application.

Voted. \$4,340 for hydrant rental.

Voted. That the highway surveyor require all persons applying for concrete work to deposit the amount of their share of the work at the time of application, as voted in relation to edgestones.

Art. 6. To see what method the town will adopt for the collection of taxes for the year ensuing.

Voted. That the time for paying taxes be extended from Sept. 15 to Oct. 1st, with three days of grace, and that the rate of interest be fixed at 5 per cent instead of 6 per cent.

Art. 7. To see if the town will authorize its collector of taxes for the year ensuing to use all means which a town treasurer, when appointed collector, may use.

Voted.

Art. 8. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for concrete work.

Indefinitely postponed.

Art. 9. To see if the town will authorize its selectmen to appoint a night watch and will raise and appropriate money to pay them, or what it will do about it.

Voted. To do so, and \$1800.

Art. 10. To determine the compensation of enginemen for the year ensuing.

Voted. \$23 each and a sum equal to the poll tax.

Art. 11. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars for the purposes of Memorial Day.

Voted. \$200.

Art. 12. To see if the town will authorize its school committee to employ a superintendent of schools and raise and appropriate money therefor, or what it will do about it.

Indefinitely postponed, as appropriation was included in the school appropriation.

Art. 13. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of twenty-five dollars for the use of the fish committee, or what it will do about it.

Voted. \$25.

Art. 14. To see if the town will adopt some new measure of calling its meetings, or what it will do about it.

Voted. To refer to the finance committee.

Art. 15. To see what action the town will take relative to the sale of some portion of the town farm, and the stock, farming tools and carriages at said farm.

Motion to refer the matter to a committee of five to report at an adjourned meeting, regarding the best method of disposing of the cows and stock, was before the town when it was voted to adjourn.

Voted. To adjourn to next Monday evening at 7.30 p. m.

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING, MARCH 15, 1897.

Voted. To take up article 15.

Voted. To indefinitely postpone.

Moved that \$6,500 be raised and appropriated for the poor department, together with the receipts of the department. This was lost.

Moved as an amendment that the overseers be instructed to purchase all supplies at wholesale prices, which was carried.

Moved as an amendment that no part of the appropriation be paid to any member of the board of overseers; lost.

Voted. To raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,000, with the income from the poor department for the support of the poor, and that goods be kept at the almshouse for distribution to the outside poor.

Motion to reconsider; lost.

Voted. That the finance committee be granted further time in considering the subject of the municipal light plant.

The miscellaneous appropriation as included in article 5 was then considered, together with article 23.

Art. 23. To raise and appropriate money for military aid, soldiers' relief, printing, town solicitor's salary, town physician's salary, insurance premiums, and expenses of the Richardson Light Guard.

C. W. Eaton, Esq., chairman of the finance committee, recommended appropriations as follows: Military aid, \$900; soldiers' relief, \$2,500; printing, to include advertising and stationery, \$800; insurance premiums, \$750; Richardson Light Guard expenses, \$600; general miscellaneous expenses, \$4,500. Each appropriation was voted as recommended. The committee reported that no decision had been reached regarding the town physician and town solicitor, and further time was granted.

On motion of Mr. Strong article 3 was taken up, relating to the selection of all town officers not chosen by ballot. The report of the committee was adopted and the following officers elected: Weighers of coal and merchandise, N. E. Cutler, J. M. Perley, G. P. Haley, J. C. W. Walton, A. A. Mansfield, W. M. Ward, C. A. Cheney; surveyors of lumber, C. F. Bickford, Roger Howard, H. B. Parker, E. I. Purrington, C. H. Spencer, J. A. Sederquest; measurers of wood, G. P. Haley, G. W. Killorin, H. N. Oliver, Charles Talbot, J. G. Morrill, A. A. Mansfield, E. E. Lee, A. L. Mansfield, J. A. Sanborn; field drivers, Alexander Glass, Warren Shedd, J. E. Hopkins, O. G. Sanborn, G. K. Walton, Andrew MacDonald, John Regan.

Art. 14. To see if the town will adopt some new measure of calling its meetings, or what it will do about it.

Mr. Eaton, on behalf of the finance committee, reported and it was voted that the selectmen be instructed to obtain proposals for printing and publishing all town warrants, that the warrants be published in only one newspaper, and that the publishing and printing of the warrants be given to the lowest bidder. Amended, that the posting up of warrants be done by the chief of police without expense to the town. This was carried.

Voted. That hereafter all town meetings be called by a publication of the warrant in some one newspaper in town and that copies of the warrants be posted at the town hall.

Art. 16. To see if the town will authorize its selectmen to appoint a town physician and fix his salary, or what it will do about it.

Voted. To refer to finance committee.

Art. 17. To see if the town will authorize its selectmen to appoint a town solicitor and fix his salary, or what it will do about it.

Voted. To refer to finance committee.

Art. 18. To see if the town will authorize a change in its fire alarm, as recommended in its report of its committee of fifteen, adopted by the town February 1st, 1897, and raise and appropriate money therefor, or what it will do about it.

Mr. Eaton asked for further time for the finance committee and it was granted.

Art. 19. To see if the town will vote to discontinue its lighting of its street lights in the morning, or what it will do about it.

Voted. To indefinitely postpone.

Art. 20. To see if the town will vote to increase the number of its school committee to nine, to take effect at the meeting of 1898, or what it will do about it.

Voted. Not to do so.

Art. 21. To see if the town will raise and appropriate money for

the payment of the survey and map of the town, as contracted for by its town committee.

Voted. That \$3,000 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of paying for the work as contracted for by the committee. Including a survey and map of the town of which sum \$500 shall be raised by taxation the current year and \$500 by taxation in each of the years 1898, 1899, 1900, 1901 and 1902, and the town treasurer is hereby authorized to hire \$2,500, giving notes of the town therefor of \$500 each, maturing one in each of the five succeeding years.

Art. 22. To see if the town will recommend or instruct its boards of selectmen, assessors, overseers of the poor and road surveyor to employ the town clerk as clerk of said boards, or what it will do about it.

Voted. To indefinitely postpone.

Art. 24. To see if the town will reduce its number of selectmen from five to three, to take effect at the annual meeting in 1898, or what it will do about it.

Voted. To indefinitely postpone.

Art. 25. To see if the town will vote to give the money received from the district court for fines to the police department of the town, or what it will do about it.

Voted. To indefinitely postpone.

Art. 26. To see if the town will choose a committee to prepare and execute a suitable celebration of the fourth day of July next ensuing, and raise and appropriate money therefor, or what it will do about it.

Voted. \$100.

Voted. That the moderator appoint a committee of five in accordance with the intention of the article.

Chair appointed Charles E. Walton, W. A. Cutter, John T. Cooper, Samuel T. Parker and W. H. Locke.

Art. 27. To raise and appropriate money for the payment of the salary of the town inspector of milk from May 14th last past to the first day of March current, and also for the current municipal year, or what it will do about it.

Voted. \$200 for the years 1896 and 1897.

Moved, that when the meeting adjourn it adjourn for two weeks. Amended, by making it one week, and the latter was accepted and carried.

Art. 28. To see if the town will purchase horses for the fire department and raise and appropriate money therefor, or what it will do about it.

Art. 29. To see if the town will raise and appropriate money to change over the engine house on the corner of Crescent street and Mechanic street in said town to accommodate horses, or what it will do about it.

Mr. Eaton said that the committee was not ready to report and further time was granted.

Art. 30 To see if the town will grant to the Wakefield Horticultural and Agricultural society the free use of the town hall for its fair and supper Sept. 22, 23 and 24, 1897, or what it will do about it.

Voted.

Art. 31. To see if the town will authorize and instruct its highway surveyor to employ only those men to work on its public highways who are legal voters in the town, or what it will do about it.

Amended, by adding "bridges and stone crusher" after the word "highway." The amendment was accepted. The question on the motion as amended was then voted.

Voted. To adjourn at 10.30 o'clock until next Monday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING, MARCH 22, 1897.

Voted. To take up Art. 16.

Voted. To indefinitely postpone.

Voted. To take up Art. 17.

Voted. That the selectmen be authorized to appoint a town solicitor at a salary not to exceed \$300, and that the amount be taken from the miscellaneous appropriation.

Article 23 was then taken up and that portion relating to the appropriation of money for town physician's salary was indefinitely postponed.

Article 18 was taken up and indefinitely postponed.

Further time was granted to the finance committee for the consideration of articles 28 and 29, relating to horses for the fire department and remodeling the engine house for the accommodation of horses.

Art. 32. To hear and act upon the report of the committee appointed by the town March 20, 1893, under article 48 of the town warrant in relation to the purchase of the Wakefield Water Works by the towns of Wakefield and Stoneham.

Voted. That the committee have further time and that when they are ready to report they report in print.

Art. 33. To hear and act upon the report of the committee on the John Drugan accident case.

Selectman C. E. Walton reported on behalf of the committee, the other members being James P. Keefe and William G. Strong. From facts obtained by the committee, the town could not legally pay Mr. Drugan as no one contracted anything on Mr. Drugan's account, who had any authority to do so. The report was accepted.

Voted. To indefinitely postpone.

Art. 34. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars to compensate John Drugan for injuries received while in the employ of the town, or what it will do about it.

Voted. To raise and appropriate \$500.

Motion to reconsider lost.

Art. 35. To hear and act upon the report of the selectmen upon the subject-matter of article 6 of the last town warrant, relating to insuring the town from liability from accidents upon its highways.

Selectman Walton stated that none of the insurance companies would insure the town against general accidents on highways. Employees could be insured against accidents.

but no others. On motion of Mr. Strong the subject was indefinitely postponed.

- Art. 36. To hear and act upon the report of the committee appointed to investigate the damage done to Mary L. Maxwell's property on the southerly side of West Chestnut street, corner of Cedar street, by the overflow of water from the street, caused by insufficient drainage, or what it will do about it.

Mr. Eaton, on behalf of the committee to whom the matter was referred, reported that the case had been investigated. The damage was caused by the clogging up of the drain with sand, causing the backing up of water into the cellar. While there could be no legal claim for damage done by surface water, the committee felt that in view of the circumstances the town should pay Mrs. Maxwell the sum of \$50, which would be satisfactory to her, for damage done to the basement. The report was accepted.

Voted. To indefinitely postpone.

- Art. 37. To hear and act upon the report of the committee appointed by the town to select a public burial lot of land, or what it will do about it.

Maj. Tyler reported on behalf of the committee, the other members being Oliver Walton and George A. Seaver. Available lots were reported as follows:

Land of D. G. Walton, West Chestnut street extension, near Elm street, 24 acres, price one cent per foot, or about \$10,400; not too remote from the center, of moderate cost when compared with other land.

The Joshua Green farm, Vernon street, near Lynnfield town line; no price could be ascertained.

Land of Samuel T. Parker and others, north of Lowell street, rear of Mr. Parker's greenhouses. Mr. Parker's land contains $9\frac{1}{2}$ acres, price \$2,300; adjoining land of Austin L. Mansfield, containing 19 acres, \$1800; adjoining land of Jackman estate, 9 acres, \$1,800. Mr Parker also offers additional land in front of the proposed line, including the land now occupied by greenhouses, stable and windmill and making 15 acres instead of $9\frac{1}{2}$. Price of additional land, with expense

of moving houses, \$3,575. Land in good condition for purposes required.

Land rear of the Lyons estate, north of Lowell street, nearer Montrose, 80 acres, price \$1,000; probably cost as much more to put in good condition.

Land of W. S. Ripley, rear of Newhall court, over 15 acres, cost \$3,200; also 20 acres north of this lot, owners unknown. Very desirable land and locality.

Maj. Tyler reported that the law provided for the taking of land by towns for cemetery purposes, but it was anticipated that an amicable agreement could be made when the time came for selecting a lot of land. Two maps were exhibited, one showing Mr. Walton's land and the other the land of Mr. Parker and Mr. Mansfield. The committee recommended that the town purchase not less than 30 acres and the town appoint a committee of three persons to be known as cemetery commissioners to have charge of the cemetery, the laying out of avenues, lots, etc., and that the lots be sold at a fair price, the money to be used in beautifying the grounds. Also that the surveyor of highways be authorized to build such streets as may be necessary to reach the cemetery. The committee recommended the purchase of either Mr. Ripley's land or the land of Mr. Parker and Mr. Mansfield. Mr. Ripley's land was desirable in being nearer the center, while the land in the rear was available for no other purpose than for a cemetery should Mr. Ripley's land be put to that use.

Voted. To refer the matter to the same committee to get the refusal of such land as in their judgment would be best for the interest of the town and report at an adjourned or future town meeting.

Voted. To adjourn to April 5, 1897, at 7.30 p. m.

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING, APRIL 5, 1897.

Meeting was called to order in the town hall at 7.30 o'clock, Monday evening, Moderator Hadley in the chair. A resolution granting the free use of the town hall to the Grand Army post on

Memorial Day was adopted. That portion of article 5 relating to the appropriation of money for the conduct for the municipal light plant was then considered. C. W. Eaton, Esq., reported for the finance committee recommending an appropriation of the income of the plant and \$5,000, to include \$3,500 for operating expenses, \$1,000 for gas main extension and \$500 for electric extension.

Motion to adopt report; lost.

Motion to raise and appropriate \$4,500; lost.

Voted. To raise and appropriate \$3,500 for the municipal light board.

Motion to reconsider; lost.

A motion to increase the salary of the board of assessors by \$300 in anticipation of extra work this year was lost.

Art. 28. To see if the town will purchase horses for the fire department and raise and appropriate money therefor, or what it will do about it.

Chester W. Eaton, Esq., on behalf of the finance committee, reported that the committee had fully considered the subject, and while they were not unanimous in their opinion, the recommendations were endorsed by a substantial majority. In accordance with the committee's action, Mr. Eaton moved that the town appropriate \$500 for the purchase of three horses for the fire department.

Voted. To indefinitely postpone.

Art. 29. To see if the town will raise and appropriate money to change over the engine house on the corner of Crescent street and Mechanic street in said town to accommodate horses, or what it will do about it.

Indefinitely postponed.

Voted. To take up article 5.

Motion to reconsider previous action in regard to the appropriation of \$1,200 for police expenses; lost.

Art. 5. Being under consideration. C. W. Eaton, Esq., moved that the sum of \$400 additional be appropriated to enable

the fire engineers to hire a man to remain at the department building permanently. At this point it was voted, on motion of J. C. Hartshorne, Esq., to adjourn for one week.

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING, APRIL 12, 1897.

Art. 5. Relating to appropriations for various town departments, was under consideration at the previous meeting at the time of adjournment and was first considered. A motion made by C. W. Eaton, Esq., favoring an appropriation of \$400 additional for the fire department, was first considered.

Voted. To indefinitely postpone.

Voted. That \$1,000 of the income of the municipal light plant be set apart for extending the gas mains when there is a guarantee of 5 per cent of the cost of the same.

Motion to reconsider, was lost.

Art. 37. Relating to the report of the committee on a new burial lot, was then taken up, and Maj. Tyler, on behalf of the committee, reported. A lot of land containing about fifteen acres and belonging to Dea. Thomas Martin was reported upon. The land runs from Lowell street northeasterly to Vernon street and the price asked was \$250 per acre. The committee made no recommendation on this lot. The lot belonging to W. S. Ripley, near Newhall court, and the land owned by S. T. Parker and A. L. Mansfield north of Lowell street were again reported upon and recommended as noted in the committee's previous report.

Voted. To accept the report.

Several motions, amendments and substitute motions were made and it was finally voted to again refer the subject to the same committee to consider the town farm land and report at a future meeting. It was afterwards voted that the selectmen be authorized to provide a suitable temporary burial place pending the committee's report.

Art. 38. To hear and act upon the report of its committee appointed under article 8 of the last town warrant in relation to

the discontinuance of a private way in Greenwood, said way running easterly from Myrtle avenue to the junction of Grove and Hanson streets.

The committee having no report to make, it was voted to discharge the committee.

Voted. That all action under this article be indefinitely postponed.

Art. 39. To hear and act upon the report of the committee appointed under article 9 of the last town warrant in relation to a private way running in a southeasterly direction from Brown street to Main street in Greenwood.

Indefinitely postponed.

Art. 40. To hear and act upon the report of the selectmen on laying out and continuing Valley street to Nahant street.

Selectman C. E. Walton reported on behalf of the selectmen of 1896, allowing the petitioners for the street leave to withdraw.

Voted. To refer to the present board of selectmen.

Art. 41. To see if the town will raise and appropriate money for building a continuation of Valley street to Nahant street, or what it will do about it.

Chair ruled that no action could be taken under this article.

Art. 42. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of four hundred dollars to repair Lowell and Salem streets from a point opposite the estate of Dennis Lyons to the estate of Charles Talbot, or what it will do about it.

Voted. That the highway surveyor be instructed to attend to the matter and pay for the same out of the highway appropriation.

Art. 43. To see if the town will repair the road bed of Byron street, between Gould street and Albion street, and raise and appropriate money therefor, or what it will do about it.

Indefinitely postponed.

Art. 44. To see if the town will complete the sidewalk on the southerly side of Byron street, from land of J. W. Wellman

to Albion street, and raise and appropriate money therefor, or what it will do about it.

Indefinitely postponed.

Art. 45. To see if the town will place an electric arc light on Salem street, between the corner of Pleasant street and Vernon street, or what it will do about it.

Voted. To remove the light from the electric light station and locate it as directed.

Art. 46. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars to be used to complete the work needed to be done on New Salem street, or what it will do about it.

Indefinitely postponed.

Art. 47. To see if the town will accept the remaining portion of Converse street, said portion of said street having been built without expense to the town, or what it will do about it.

Voted. To refer to the selectmen to report at the next town meeting.

Art. 48. To see if the town will build a sidewalk on the westerly side of Melvin street, between Bennett street and Nahant street, and raise and appropriate money therefor, the same to be expended under the direction of the highway surveyor, or what it will do about it.

Voted. To instruct the highway surveyor to build a sidewalk as asked for and that the expenses be taken out of the regular appropriation.

Art. 49. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of four hundred dollars to build a sidewalk on the northerly side of Richardson street, from a point in front of the residence of Sumner Pennell to the railroad track of the Boston & Maine railroad, or what it will do about it.

Voted. That the highway surveyor be instructed to build the sidewalk and that the expense be taken out of the general appropriation.

Art. 50. To see if the town will repair and grade Pitman avenue, in Greenwood, on the easterly end of said avenue by leveling a hill there situate in said avenue, and raise and appro-

priate the sum of three hundred dollars therefor, or what it will do about it.

Indefinitely postponed.

Art. 51. To see if the town will repair and grade Brook avenue and raise and appropriate money therefor, or what it will do about it.

Referred to highway surveyor with instructions to attend to the matter.

Art. 52. To see if the town will authorize its selectmen to commence a suit at law in behalf of the town against the Wakefield Water company to recover the sum of \$2,500 heretofore paid to Mrs. Arlon S. Atherton for injuries received by reason of an accident.

Voted. To do so with the following amendment, that the action be brought against the water company through the town counsel.

Art. 5. Was then taken up. It was then voted that the moderator be given the thanks of the meeting, and that \$25 be paid to the moderator for his efficient services. The meeting dissolved at eleven o'clock.

STATE ELECTION, NOVEMBER 2, 1897.

Pursuant to a warrant duly drawn and served, the voters assembled at six o'clock in the forenoon at their respective polling places on Tuesday, the second day of November next, it being the Tuesday next after the first Monday in said month, then and there to bring in their votes on one ballot for governor, lieutenant-governor, secretary, treasurer, auditor, attorney-general of the Commonwealth, councillor for the Fifth Councillor District, senator for the Middlesex-Essex District, representative to represent the Twenty-ninth Middlesex Representative District in the General Court, county commissioner for the County of Middlesex, county treasurer for the County of Middlesex, and register of deeds, Southern District, Middlesex County.

The polling place for the voters living in precinct number one will be in the town hall, and for voters living in precinct number two, in the Greenwood hose house, situated on Oak street, and both in said Wakefield. The polls in each precinct will be open at six o'clock in the forenoon and close at thirty minutes past four o'clock in the afternoon.

The polls were opened at six o'clock by Town Clerk Harts-horne who swore in the election officers as follows :

PRECINCT ONE.

The polls at precinct one were opened at 6.10 o'clock after the usual preliminary arrangements. William B. Daniel presided as warden, and Hoyt B. Parker, as deputy warden. J. Fred Parker was clerk, and A. W. Brownell deputy clerk. The inspectors were W. J. Mansfield, E. M. Southworth, E. H. Walton and Cornelius Donovan, and the deputy inspectors were W. E. Cade, J. P. Keefe and W. W. Bessey. The tellers were P. J. Kelly, J. A. Hickey, E. S. Jacob, S. T. Parker, W. C. Skulley, E. P. McDonnell, H. A. Simonds, M. T. Lane, Wallace Kendall, A. L. Wiley, W. W. Taft, C. E. Walton, W. S. Dennison, D. Harry Darling and G. E. Hart.

PRECINCT TWO.

The polls were opened at 6 o'clock by Warden W. G. Eaton, who swore in the following election officers: Deputy Warden, T. H. Painter; clerk, R. D. Jones; deputy clerk, H. W. Walton; inspector, F. M. Staples; deputy, N. A. Heath; inspector, M. L. Harris; deputy, C. W. Locklin; tellers, A. M. Baxter, R. L. Pitman, C. W. Boynton, J. A. Sale.

Polls declared closed at 4.30 p. m.

The result of the election, by precincts, was as follows :

GOVERNOR.

	Precincts.		Totals.
	1	2	
John Bascom, Pro.	15	3	18
T. C. Brophy, S. L.	24	2	26
William Everett, Dem. Nat.	35	5	40
G. F. Williams, D.	365	19	384
Roger Walcott, R.	763	121	884
Blank.	146	5	151

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

E. A. Buckland, S. L.	31	4	35
C. T. Callahan, D.	326	11	337
J. E. Cotter, Dem. Nat.	46	7	53
W. M. Crane, R.	712	110	822
W. O. Wylie, Pro.	29	13	42
Blank,	104	10	114

SECRETARY.

A. W. Barr, S. L.	30	6	36
C. D. Nash, D.	316	12	328
W. M. Olin, R.	710	110	820
Edwin Sawtell, Pro.	20	3	23
B. M. Wolf, Dem. Nat.	35	2	37
Blank,	136	22	158

TREASURER.

G. A. Brown, S. L.	39	7	46
R. C. Habberley, Pro.	26	4	30
E. P. Shaw, R.	687	103	790
H. P. Tobey, Dem. Nat.	51	5	56
T. A. Watson, Dem.	304	10	314
Blank,	141	26	167

AUDITOR.

Joseph Ballam, S. L.	31	7	38
Harry Douglas, Dem. Nat.	38	4	42
J. W. Kimball, R.	693	102	795
J. H. Sheldon, D.	307	9	316
H. M. Small, Pro.	20	5	25
Blank,	159	28	187

ATTORNEY-GENERAL.

Wolcott Hamlin, Pro.	27	10	37
William Harrison, S. L.	37	6	43
H. M. Knowlton, R.	701	104	805
W. W. McClench, Dem. Nat.	34	3	37
J. A. O'Keefe, D.	315	7	322
Blank,	134	25	159

COUNCILLOR.

H. H. Atherton, R.	719	110	829
J. L. Libby, Dem. Nat.	39	10	49
D. H. Maguire, D.	318	11	329
Blank,	172	24	196

SENATOR.

I. E. Graves, D.	464	43	507
C. F. Woodward, R.	693	92	785
Blank,	91	20	111

REPRESENTATIVE.

Charles A. Dean, D.	649	84	733
Otis V. Waterman, R.	543	67	610
Blank,	51	4	55

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

S. O. Upham, D. R.	814	109	923
Scattering,	5	0	5
Blank,	429	46	475

REGISTER OF DEEDS.

E. O. Child, D. R.	787	105	892
Scattering,	2	0	2
Blank,	459	50	509

COUNTY TREASURER.

J. O. Hayden, D. R.	786	106	892
Scattering,	1	0	1
Blank,	461	49	510

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING.

Town Clerk Hartshorne called the meeting to order at 7.30 o'clock and Darius Hadley was chosen moderator, acting under article 1. It was voted, on motion of Capt. J. H. Carter, to take up the articles in their order.

Art. 2. To revise and accept the list of jurors prepared and posted by the selectmen.

The name of Seth Crosby was removed from the list and that of C. O. Anderson substituted. Mr. Bumpus was excused from serving at his request; the name of Charles Ayscough was added. The list as revised was accepted.

At this point the following articles were referred to the finance committee, in accordance with the new municipal rules: Articles 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 22, 24, 25, 23, 27, 28, 29, 30, 34, 36, 37.

Art. 3. To see if the town will grant the free use of the town hall for three evenings to the Home for Aged Women, or what it will do about it.

Voted. To grant the use of the hall as requested.

Art. 4. To see if the town will authorize and instruct the municipal light board to transfer to the road surveyor sixty iron lamp posts now at the gas works, the same to be used for sign board posts in Greenwood, or what it will do about it.

Voted. To indefinitely postpone.

Art. 5. To consider whether the town will provide one or more public dumps for the reception of refuse rubbish, for the citizens of the town, or what action it will take on the subject.

Voted. Indefinitely postponed.

Art. 6. To act on the question of instructing the auditor to insert in the annual town reports of each year the rules adopted by the town for use in town meetings, or what the town will do about it.

Voted. To instruct the auditor as requested.

Art. 7. To consider and see if the town will appropriate one hundred and twenty-five dollars to repair sidewalk and crossing at the south side of Gould street, from Murray street to Emerson street, and east side of Emerson street to Chestnut street, or what it will do about it, as requested by Austin E. Perry and others.

C. W. Eaton, Esq., on behalf of the finance committee, asked for further time, and it was granted.

Art. 8. To see if the town will construct a wind-mill at the town farm and appropriate one hundred and fifty dollars to pay for the same, or what action it will take thereon. As prayed for by James H. Carter and others.

Voted. To indefinitely postpone.

Art. 9. To consider and decide if the town will appropriate the sum of four hundred dollars for the use of the highway department, or what it will do about it. As requested by Solon Walton and others.

Voted. \$400, upon recommendation of the finance committee.

Art. 10. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen or school committee to erect a flag-staff on the grounds in front of the Lincoln school house, and appropriate money therefor, or what action, if any, it will take. As solicited by William N. Tyler and others.

Further time was granted the committee at Mr. Eaton's request.

Art. 11. To determine if the town will appropriate two hundred dollars to pay for land damages sustained by Mrs. Goodale in the building of Jordan avenue, or what action it will take thereon. As requested by William Montgomery and others.

Voted. \$100. A motion to reconsider was lost.

Art. 12. To see if the town will appropriate four thousand dollars to repair Gould street, from Byron street to Converse street, as laid out by the county commissioners, or what action the town will take thereon. As requested by J. Woolbridge and others.

Upon the committee's recommendation, the subject was referred to the highway surveyor.

Art. 13. To see if the town will appropriate two thousand dollars for the support of the poor, or what it will do about it. As asked for by Hiram Eaton and others.

Voted. \$2,000, upon the committee's recommendation.

Art. 14. To see if the town will repair and maintain the several fish-ways on Saugus river, and construct new ones when required, so that the fish can make their way from Lake Quannapowitt to the sea, and appropriate money to pay the necessary expenses therefor, or what action the town will take in the matter. As requested by J. C. Hartshorne and others.

Voted. To indefinitely postpone.

Art. 15. To see if the town will appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars for printing and advertising, or what action, if any, the town will take thereon. As prayed for by Albert W. Flint and others.

Mr. Eaton, for the finance committee, reported \$200, and that amount was voted.

Art. 16. To ascertain if the town will appropriate the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars for the police department, or what it will do about it. As requested by Alvin L. Vannah and others.

Voted. \$250.

Art. 17. To ascertain if the town will appropriate the sum of twenty-seven hundred and ninety-five dollars and sixty-eight cents to pay the judgment and interest recovered against the town in the suit of Albert W. Hunt vs. the town of Wakefield, May 3, 1897, or what action it will take thereon. As prayed for by Wm. H. Lee and others.

Voted. \$2,795.68.

Art. 18. To determine if the town will appropriate six hundred and eighty-five dollars to pay Charles W. Bartlett for professional services in defending the town in the suit of Albert W. Hunt vs. the town of Wakefield, to recover damages for injuries received from a defective highway, and also the sum

of twenty-nine dollars paid by him for the town, for court expenses in said case, or what action it will take thereon. As requested by Edward A. Upton and others.

Voted. \$714.00.

Art. 19. To see if the town will appropriate three hundred and twenty-five dollars to pay for legal services and expenses in defending the town in the suit of Edward B. Kelly vs. the town of Wakefield, to recover damages for injuries received on Valley street by reason of a defect in the highway, or what action it will take thereon. As requested by George E. Hart and others.

Voted. \$325.00.

Art. 20. To hear and act upon the report of the selectmen on the petition of Charles A. Dean and others to extend Valley street, from Hart street to Nahant street.

Voted. To refer back to the selectmen to arrange for another hearing and report later.

Art. 21. To see if the town will appropriate a sufficient sum of money to build Valley street, from Hart street to Nahant street, or what action it will take thereon. By request of William F. Bowman, Sr., and others.

Voted. To lay on the table.

Art. 22. To see if the town will appropriate two hundred dollars to pay the expenses of building the fire escape for the Greenwood school house and for covering up the drain pipe in the rear of said school house, or what action, if any, it will take thereon. As requested by Wm. G. Strong and others.

Voted. \$200.

Art. 23. To see if the town will grant permission to George E. Bruorton, Samuel Myers and their associates, to use for burial purposes, that portion of the Aaron Foster estate situated in the northerly portion of the town, on the east side of Vernon street, and near the Lynnfield line.

Voted. To indefinitely postpone.

Art. 24. To see if the town will appropriate fifty dollars for putting in a cesspool at the engine house, corner of Crescent and Mechanic streets, as ordered by the board of health, or what it will do about it. As requested by Levi Flanders and others.

Voted. \$37.06.

Art. 25. To see if the town will appropriate a sufficient sum of money to pay for extra service of the board of assessors, or what it will do about it. As prayed for by A. W. Brownell and others.

Voted. \$300.

At 10.15 o'clock it was voted to adjourn until next Monday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING, NOV. 15, 1897.

Voted. To take up article 7.

Voted. \$125 under this article.

Voted. To take up article 10.

Voted. To refer to a committee of three to report at an adjourned meeting.

Voted. To take up article 23.

Motion to reconsider the vote whereby it was voted to indefinitely postpone action relating to the use of part of the Capt. Aaron Foster estate, Vernon street, for burial purposes; lost.

Art. 26. To see if the town will appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars for town hall expenses, or what it will do about it. As requested by Daniel Evans and others.

Voted. \$300.

Art. 27. To see if the town will appropriate money for an arc lamp at the corner of Pleasant and Sweetser streets, or what it will do about it. As requested by Charles H. Cheever and others.

Referred to the municipal light board upon recommendation of the finance committee.

Art. 28. To see if the town will appropriate the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars to raise and repair the sidewalk on the northerly side of Albion street, near the residence of Daniel W. Hunt, or what it will do about it. As requested by Daniel W. Hunt and others.

Voted. To indefinitely postpone.

Art. 29. To see if the town will appropriate eight hundred dollars to repair Broadway, from the branch of the Newburyport railroad to the Boston & Maine railroad, and from the pumping station to the junction of Lake street and Broadway. As requested by Michael O'Connell and others.

Voted. \$500.

Motion to reconsider; lost.

Art. 30. To see if the town will appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars for the purpose of extending the incandescent lighting system, when applicants furnish the required guarantee, and for the purchase of meters and transformers. As requested by Elroy N. Heath and others.

Voted. \$1000.

Motion to reconsider; lost.

Voted. To take up article 24.

Art. 24. Relating to the appropriation of \$37.06 for a cesspool on the fire department lot was then taken up and \$25 additional appropriated.

Art. 31. To see if the town will rescind the vote of April 12, 1897, acting under article 5 of the warrant, as recommended by the town solicitor. or what it will do about it.

Voted. To rescind.

Art. 32. To hear and act upon the report of the selectmen in the taking of land for the purpose of building a drain to convey the surface water from West Chestnut street to the stream from the outlet of Crystal lake and the building of said drain.

Moved to refer to the selectmen to ascertain land damages and procure signatures of owners releasing claims, if possible, and report at a future meeting.

Voted. To adjourn for one week.

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING, NOV. 22, 1897.

Meeting called to order by the moderator.

Voted. To take up article 32.

Motion to refer to selectmen; lost.

Motion that the recommendations of the selectmen be adopted; lost.

Art. 33. To hear and act upon the report of the selectmen in the taking of land for the purpose of conveying surface water from the north side of Prospect street into Quannapowitt lake and the building of said drain.

Judge Upton read the report which provided for laying a drain over land of W. A. Carleton, the Boston and Maine railroad, the Boston Ice company and John G. Morrill. No land damages asked.

Voted. To accept the report, but not to adopt it.

Art. 34. To ascertain if the town will appropriate sixteen hundred dollars to construct two drains, one to convey surface water from West Chestnut street to the stream running from the outlet of Crystal lake, and the other drain to convey surface water from the north side of Prospect street into Quannapowitt lake, or what action it will take thereon. As requested by Solon Walton and others.

C. W. Eaton, Esq., chairman of the finance committee, stated that the committee had recommended, in the event of the town's accepting the selectmen's report, that the amount be appropriated, provided owners of land consented to give their land for the purpose. As the reports were not accepted, it was voted to indefinitely postpone further action, on motion of F. A. Gowen.

Art. 35. To hear and act upon the report of the selectmen, on the petition of Charles W. Orme and others, for the laying out of a town way and constructing the same, as prayed for in said petition.

Judge Upton reported that a hearing was called on the subject, but no one put in appearance. George N. Wood of Greenwood said that he failed to receive the notice in time and moved that the matter be again referred to the selectmen in order to provide for another hearing. It was so voted.

Art. 36. To hear and act upon the report of the selectmen on the construction and completion of Jordan avenue.

Mr. Upton said that the article was inserted by mistake, and that the selectmen would report next spring.

Art. 37. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to build a cesspool for the use of the town house, as required by the board of health, and appropriate money therefor, or what action it will take on the subject.

Chairman Eaton, of the finance committee, moved that a special committee of three be appointed to consider the subject, and report at a meeting not later than next March, and it was so voted. The chair appointed Richard Britton, G. H. Sweetser and J. A. Hickey.

At this point the moderator appointed a committee on the Lincoln school flag-staff, James H. Carter, George H. Taylor and W. F. Young.

Art. 38. To see if the town will authorize its treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, to hire a sum of money sufficient to meet the appropriations made at this meeting on a term not exceeding one year, and to issue the notes of the town therefor.

Town Treasurer Skinner gave the total appropriations as \$9,271.74. It was voted to authorize the treasurer to hire \$9,300, as indicated in the article.

On motion of Capt. Carter, the town passed a vote of thanks in behalf of Moderator Hadley, in recognition of his able and impartial services. The meeting dissolved at 9.30 o'clock.

REPORT OF FOREST FIREWARDS.

During the twelve months ending Dec. 31, 1897, there have been 96 still fire alarms. Of these, 17 were followed by general alarms. They have all been attended by the forest firewards system; and 88 fires have been stopped by it alone and they were the first to put water on to the other eight. The active work of this system is done by the Johnson pump and bucket brigade, under the supervision of the firewards.

January	5	July	9
February	5	August	2
March	9	September	9
April	24	October	12
May	5	November	10
June	4	December	2

There have been 39 building fires stopped by this system; 11 in South district; 3 in North district; 3 in East district; 15 in Centre district; 4 in West district; 3 in Woodville district.

NUMBER OF FIRES IN EACH DISTRICT.

DISTRICT.	FIRES.	BUILDING FIRES
Centre	26	18
North	5	3
South	23	11
East	13	3
West	10	6
Woodville	19	3
	<hr/> 96	<hr/> 44

Total cost of 96 fires attended by forest firewards, with total attendant expenses of this system . . .	\$569.75
Average cost of each	3.65
Average cost per man . . . . .	.53
Average number of men at fires	7
Whole number of persons working at these fires . . .	657

The above includes the expense of horses and wagons, with loads of water at twenty-five fires.

Average time of attack	2 minutes
Total losses of 88 fires stopped by this system alone	\$500.00
Average losses of 97 fires stopped by this system alone, 39 of which were building fires	\$5.00

Eleven twelfths of all the fires in this town were stopped by this system in 1897. .

As stated in our report of last year, the causes of these fires are divided about equally between sparks from railroad engines, children, gunners, accidents, incendiarism and reckless setting of fires by people on their own land, which were allowed to run upon the land of others. Also fires in other towns which were allowed to run into this town.

Town fire appliances in charge of the forest firewards: 170 Johnson pumps, 67 balloon valves for pumps, 6 top valves, 6 discharge pipes, 12 bottom valves, 24 plungers, 12 tips, 10 dozen sprinkler nozzles, 150 2-gallon cans, 50 wooden buckets, 5 water scoops, 400 feet of garden hose with its appliances and 10 feet of Johnson pump hose, 400 12-quart iron-clad pails, which are located in 400 places and kept in readiness for instant use at fires; also 25 15-foot poles with leather buttonhole tips. It has been the only party to use water at 88 out of 96 still and general alarms during the year 1897.

FOREST FIREWARDS' BILLS.

Appropriation,	\$600.00
Expended on accounts of 1896,	\$118.01
Repairs on Johnson pumps, water cans, buckets and incidental expenses as per detailed account of audi- tors,	\$569.75
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	\$687.76
Expended over appropriation	\$87.76
This will be paid from appropriation of 1898.	

JOHNSON PUMPS.

In compliance with the vote of the town at its annual meeting, the forest firewards herewith furnish a list of the present locations of the town's Johnson pumps, now numbering one hundred and seventy, as follows :

- No. 1, John A. Meloney, Prospect street, West District.
- “ 2, R. Kendrick, 712 Main street, South District.
- “ 3, William H. Atwell, Prospect street, West District.
- “ 4, Fred. I. Willkins, Main street, Centre District.
- “ 5, Geo. P. Haley, Main street, Centre District.
- “ 6, C. C. Eldridge, Myrtle avenue, South District.
- “ 7, Noah M. Eaton, Park street, Centre District.
- “ 8, Caleb Putney, Water street, Woodville District.
- “ 9, Z. P. Alden, Court off Greenwood avenue, South District.
- “ 10, W. D. Parker, Wiley street, Woodville District.
- “ 11, C. T. Welch, Wiley place, Woodville District.
- “ 12, E. W. White, West Albion street, West District.
- “ 13, E. H. Walton, Pleasant street, Centre District.
- “ 14, E. F. Poland, 30 Summer street, Centre District.
- “ 15, In doubt. Not found.
- “ 16, Alden Crocker, Green street, South District.
- “ 17, G. W. Braxton, Cor. West Chestnut and Cedar streets, West District.
- “ 18, John Miniken, Church street, Centre District.
- “ 19, William Mellet, Nahant street, Centre District.
- “ 20, In doubt. Not found.
- “ 21, Michael Low, Bennett street, Centre District.
- “ 22, W. A. Cutter, grocer, Mechanic street, Centre District.
- “ 23, J. M. Perley, Railroad street, Centre District.
- “ 24, Henry Harper, Nahant street, Centre district.
- “ 25, Geo. K. Gilman, Charles street, Centre District.
- “ 26, A. G. Goodwin, 14 Lowell street, North District.
- “ 27, Alvin B. Woodman, Sweetser street, North District.
- “ 28, A. M. Baxter, 16 Forest street, South District.
- “ 29, Samuel Parker, Main street, North District.
- “ 30, T. H. Evans, Water street, Woodville District.

- No. 31, J. R. Reid, Salem and Lowell streets, East District.
- “ 32, F. Nickerson, Lowell street, East District.
- “ 33, Geo. K. Walton, Salem street, East District.
- “ 34, M. P. Parker, Lowell and Vernon streets, East District.
- “ 35, Harris Pratt, Vernon street, East District.
- “ 36, Isaac E. Green, Main street, Centre District.
- “ 37, F. A. Edson, Main street, South District.
- “ 38, J. G. Brooks, Forest street, South District.
- “ 39, W. H. Taylor, Grove street, South District.
- “ 40, Rodney Edmunds, Court off Water street, Woodville District.
- “ 41, Mrs. Ellen Denehey, Water street, Woodville District.
- “ 42, John McGlory, Jr., Railroad street, West District.
- “ 43, W. W. Bessey's stable, Albion street, Centre District.
- “ 44, A. S. Philbrick, Railroad street, West District.
- “ 45, Thomas Kernan, Gould street, West District.
- “ 46, C. R. Hamilton, Elm street, West District.
- “ 47, Geo. E. Donald, Almshouse, Farm street, Woodville District.
- “ 48, George R. Tyzzer, Court off Water street, Woodville District.
- “ 49, E. S. Hopkins, Hopkins street, West District.
- “ 50, Wm. Mortimer, Traverse street, Centre District.
- “ 51, In doubt. Not found.
- “ 52, A. H. Gould, Forest street, South District.
- “ 53, Geo. F. Roby, Greenwood and Spring streets, South District.
- “ 54, S. M. Gates, Green street, South District.
- “ 55, A. L. Oliver, Nahant street, Woodville District.
- “ 56, Alex Murray, Farm street, Woodville District.
- “ 57, W. M. Ward, Nahant street, Woodville District.
- “ 58, Charles Drury, 290 Salem street, East District.
- “ 59, Jonathan Buxton, Lowell street, East District.
- “ 60, R. Kendrick, 712 Main street, South District.
- “ 61, L. Dana Draper, Jr., Salem street, East District.
- “ 62, Jonathan N. McMaster, 10 Vernon street, East District.
- “ 63, J. S. Newhall, Lowell street, North District.
- “ 64, Timothy McAuliffe, Railroad street, West District.

- No. 65, Geo. H. Teague, Converse street, West District.
- “ 66, D. D. Douglas, Broadway, West District.
- “ 67, John F. Stimpson, 33 Cedar street, West District.
- “ 68, Wm. Darling, Main street, South District.
- “ 69, Chas. S. Merrill, 72 Morrison avenue, West District.
- “ 70, Chas. W. Sunman, Pitman avenue, South District.
- “ 71, E. E. Lee, Oak street and Greenwood avenue, South District.
- “ 72, Geo. H. Potter, Francis street, South District.
- “ 73, Charles Cloudman, Prospect street, near Stoneham line, West District.
- “ 74, A. F. Cutter, Cor. Oak and Nahant streets, Woodville District.
- “ 75, R. Kendrick, 712 Main street, South District.
- “ 76, Bert Pendleton, Francis street, South District.
- “ 77, F. L. Smith, Byron street and Prospect avenue, West District.
- “ 78, C. R. Counihan, Water street, Woodville District.
- “ 79, A. C. Allbee, Converse, Cor. Gould street, West District.
- “ 80, Louis Roberts, Water street, Woodville District.
- “ 81, Patrick Fay, Salem street, East District.
- “ 82, Geo. E. Smith, 40 Elm street, West District.
- “ 83, In doubt. Not found.
- “ 84, H. W. Savage, Oak, near Green street, South District.
Kept in hose house, Oak and Francis streets.
- “ 85, J. R. Marble, Greenwood avenue, South District.
- “ 86, In doubt. Not found.
- “ 87, I. G. Floyd, Pleasant street, North District.
- “ 88, W. C. Jordan, apothecary, Connell & Curley's block, Main street, Centre District.
- “ 89, M. P. Foster, printer, Main and Lincoln streets, Centre District.
- “ 90, W. E. Cowdrey, 61 Prospect street, West District.
- “ 91, A. S. Taylor, Spring street, South District.
- “ 92, W. F. Anderson, market store, Main street, Centre District.

- No. 93, E. N. Smith, fruit, etc., 454 Main street, Centre District.
- “ 94, S. H. Gowing, market, 404 Main street, Centre District.
- “ 95, G. W. Jennings, Albion house, 8 and 10 Albion street, Centre District.
- “ 96, John F. Alexander, flag station, Albion street, West District.
- “ 97, Geo. N. Whiting, flag station, Elm street crossing, West District.
- “ 98, B. F. Shedd, 25 Cordis street, North District.
- “ 99, T. M. Ward, Oak street, Woodville District.
- “ 100, E. E. Lee, grocer, Main street, South District.
- “ 101, Geo. L. Tyler, near head West Chestnut and Prospect streets, West District.
- “ 102, Philip Orme, Myrtle avenue, South District.
- “ 103, S. H. Lowe, Park street, upper plains, South District.
- “ 104, R. H. Ryland, 71 Prospect street, West District.
- “ 105, E. G. Daland, 390 Main street, Centre District.
- “ 106, S. T. Parker, 203 Lowell street, East District.
- “ 107, C. H. Cheever, Cor. Main and Salem streets, Centre District.
- “ 108, Geo. M. Kelley, Mechanic street, Centre District.
- “ 109, Wm. W. Wanamake, Nahant street, near almshouse, Woodville District.
- “ 110, Fred A. Sweetser, Main and Water streets, Centre District.
- “ 111, Samuel L. White, Fairmount avenue, off West Chestnut street, West District.
- “ 112, L. A. Green, Charles street, Centre District.
- “ 113, Wm. Leet, Oak street, South District.
- “ 114, C. W. Park, Main street, South District.
- “ 115, Fred Behr, 28 Richardson street, Centre District.
- “ 116, S. E. Ryder, druggist, 416 Main street, Centre District.
- “ 117, Andrew McDonald, Nahant avenue, Woodville District.
- “ 118, John W. Harnden, barber, 426 Main street, Centre District.

- No. 119, Thomas Kenney, Charles street, Centre District.
- “ 120, James A. Sederquest, wheelwright, Main street, Centre District.
- “ 121, T. L. Munier, 34 Valley street, Centre District.
- “ 122, Harvey B. Evans, Temperance Boys' club, Salem street, Centre District.
- “ 123, Crozier Latimer, express, 6 Albion street, Centre District.
- “ 124, Justin Howard, Main street, Centre District.
- “ 125, Geo. W. Eaton, grocer, 394 Main street, Centre District.
- “ 126, Charles E. Kiander, Kendrick street, South District.
- “ 127, Charles H. Cheever, 21 Bryant street, Centre District.
- “ 128, E. F. Cobb, Crescent street, Centre District.
- “ 129, C. E. Jones, Greenwood avenue, G. park, South District.
- “ 130, George A. Anderson, Pine street, G. Park, South District.
- “ 131, Charles B. Nickerson, 6 Walker Terrace, off Yale avenue, Centre District.
- “ 132, Hugh Connell, 442 Main street, Centre District.
- “ 133, N. B. Bucknam, Tyzzer avenue, off Water street, Woodville District.
- “ 134, W. P. Shepard, Shumway circle, Park, North District.
- “ 135, Will Everett Eaton, 15 Summit avenue, Park, North District.
- “ 136, Timothy Doucette, Elm street, Cor. West Chestnut and Elm streets, North District.
- “ 137, Michael J. McTeague, 21 Murray street, West District.
- “ 138, James Balmain, New Salem street, court, Bellevue Park, East District.
- “ 139, Charles H. Black, 268 Salem street, East District.
- “ 140, Wm. S. Hill, Fairmount avenue, West District.
- “ 141, Jeffrey B. Doucette, 141 Prospect street, West Dist.
- “ 142, John Crosby, Nahant street, Woodville District.
- “ 143, F. A. Hadley, 714 Main street, South District.
- “ 144, A. R. Wiley, 10 Avon court, West District.
- “ 145, Rufus Kendrick, 712 Main street, South District.

- No. 146, Rufus Kendrick, 712 Main street, South District.
 “ 147, S. T. Parker, 203 Lowell street, East District.
 “ 148, S. T. Parker, 203 Lowell street, East District.
 “ 149, C. P. Rosson, head of pond, 25 Lowell street, No. Dis.
 “ 150, S. T. Parker, 203 Lowell street, East District.
 “ 151, W. L. Griffin, Cordis and Pleasant streets, No. Dist.
 “ 152, Orrin Stone, 14 Eaton street, Centre District.
 “ 153, A. A. Butler, 432 Main street, pump kept at stable off
 Water street.
 “ 154, Thomas H. Moses, 260 Lowell street, East District.
 “ 156, F. H. Nash, Darling estate, Avon street, Centre Dist.
 “ 156, E. L. Grinnell, Lowell street, East District.
 “ 157, L. K. Finney, 9 Vernon street, North District.
 “ 158, Rufus Kendrick, 712 Main street, South District.
 “ 159, Allie D. Rogers, 193 Railroad street, West District.
 “ 160, Arthur S. Aborn, 221 Albion street, West District.
 “ 161, A. Butler, store, 434 Main street, Centre District.
 “ 162, E. J. Wheeler, apothecary, 380 Main street, Centre
 District.
 “ 163, F. P. Landers, Merriam street, upper plains, South
 District.
 “ 164, Dennis W. McCarthy, Broadway, West District.
 “ 165, Geo. W. Couillard, Albion street block, West Dist.
 “ 166, Z. P. Alden, Edmunds place, South District.
 “ 167, E. W. Snow, grocer, Main and Greenwood streets,
 South District.
 “ 168, G. B. Moore, Pitman avenue, South District.
 “ 169, K. Berthold, Farm street, Woodville District.
 “ 170, Frank H. Sweetser, 170 Main street, Centre District.

R. KENDRICK,
 S. T. PARKER,
 G. R. TYZZER.

Forest Firewards.

ASSESSORS' REPORT.

Value of real estate,	\$6,227,375 00
“ “ personal property,	924,405 00
“ “ resident bank stock (Nat. Bk. of S. R.)	79,925 00
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Total valuation,	\$7,231,705 00
Number of dwellings taxed,	1,685
“ “ horses,	481
“ “ cows,	267
“ “ swine,	53
Value of real estate and machinery of corporations	\$547,170 00
Value of church property exempt from taxation	199,700 00
Number of steam boilers,	34
Aggregate horse power of steam boilers,	2017
Whole number of tax-payers,	3754
“ “ “ poll tax payers,	2498
Persons assessed tax on property,	2232
“ “ poll tax only,	1522
Non-residents assessed on property,	546
Rate of taxation per thousand,	\$17 40
Estimated receipts applicable to debt,	\$7,500 00

Appropriations included in 1897 tax levy:

Mar. 2, 1891, Lincoln School,	\$5,000 00
Mar. 12, 1894, Funded Loan,	4,000 00
July 23, 1894, Mun. Light Plant (Bonds),	3,000 00
Nov. 14, 1895, Warren School House (Bonds),	2,000 00
March, 1896, Greenwood School (Bonds),	1,000 00
May 12, 1896, Damages, Mrs. Atherton,	2,500 00
May 12, 1896, Inspector of milk,	100 00
Nov. 16, 1896, Miscellaneous expenses,	1,800 00
Expenses of water committee,	67 50
Support of poor,	1,500 00

Nov. 19, 1896,	Town hall expenses,	500 00
Nov. 30, 1896,	Furnishing Warren School bld'g	1,200 00
	School contingent,	850 00
	Municipal Light Plant,	2,000 00
	Expenses of sewerage com.,	531 00
Dec. 7, 1896,	Jordan avenue,	3,500 00
	Cooper street,	1,500 00
	Nellie street,	400 00
	Byron street,	200 00
April, 1897,	Gen. exp. Light Plant,	3,500 00
March, 1897,	Interest on town debt,	14,000 00
	Miscellaneous expenses,	4,500 00
	Support of poor,	6,000 00
	Support of schools,	28,000 00
	Text books and sup., schools,	2,250 00
	Contingent, schools,	2,000 00
	Sal. of town officers,	4,525 00
	Night watch,	1,800 00
	Expenses Town House,	1,500 00
	Expense of fire department,	3,200 00
	Rental of hydrants,	4,340 00
	Police department,	1,200 00
	Common and park,	500 00
	Memorial Day,	200 00
	Highways and bridges,	8,000 00
	Concrete sidewalks and crossings	500 00
	Forest firewards expenses,	600 00
	Fish committee,	25 00
	Edgestones,	250 00
	Military aid,	900 00
	Soldiers' relief,	2,500 00
	Printing, advertising, stationery,	800 00
	Insurance premiums,	750 00
	Richardson Light Guard exp.,	600 00
	Maps, plans and surveys,	500 00
	Damages, John Drugan,	500 00
	July 4th celebration,	100 00

March, 1897.	Public Library,	.	.	.	300 00
	Reading Room,	175 00
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	Town appropriations.	.	.		\$125,663 50
	State tax,	.	.	.	4,095 00
	County tax,	.	.	.	5,541 58
	Sewerage, 1896,	.	.	.	671 20
	“ 1897;	.	.	.	680 00
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Total,	\$136,651 28

ALSTEAD W. BROWNELL,

CHAS. F. HARTSHORNE,

CHAS. A. DEAN,

Assessors of Wakefield.

REPORT OF HIGHWAY SURVEYOR.

The Highway Surveyor herewith presents his annual report covering the year ending February 1, 1898.

Laborers were paid \$2 per day, with the exception of the engineer at the crusher, who received \$2.50. Two dollars per day was allowed for horse and cart and \$4 for two-horse carts. Details as follows :

Respectfully submitted,

SOLON WALTON.

GENERAL HIGHWAY.

March 8, 1897,	Appropriation,	\$8,000 00
Nov. 8, “	Appropriation,	400 00
	Sale of crushed stone,	109 89
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		\$8,509 89 .
Expended :		
Labor as per pay rolls,		\$5,936 95
Sundry bills,		2,548 82
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		\$8,515 77
	Overdrawn,	\$5 88

SNOW WORK AND SANDING.

Labor as per pay rolls,	\$516 41
Union Plow Co., plow,	65 00
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	\$581 41

PATCHING.

Labor as per pay rolls,	\$210 56
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CLEANING STREETS AND GUTTERS.

Labor as per pay rolls,	\$967 98
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GRADING MAIN STREET, GREENWOOD.

Labor as per pay rolls,	\$524 56
Mrs. P. Johnson, stone,	7 50
Solon Walton, stone,	5 00
Mrs. L. B. Eaton, gravel,	7 50
Massachusetts Broken Stone Co., roller,	112 50
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	\$657 06

GRADING MELVIN STREET SIDEWALK.

Labor as per pay rolls,	\$325 81
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GRADING WATER STREET.

Labor as per pay rolls,	\$151 50
. B. Murray, gravel,	10 72
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	\$162 22

GRADING MONTROSE AVENUE.

Labor as per pay rolls,	\$44 00
J. B. Murray, gravel,	10 72
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	\$54 72

GRADING BARTLEY STREET.

Labor as per pay rolls,	\$74 11
Patrick Butler, gravel,	19 04
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	\$93 15

GRADING NEW SALEM STREET.

Labor as per pay rolls,	\$118 01
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GRADING LOWELL STREET.

Labor as per pay rolls,	\$475 78
Wm. Lee, gravel,	35 12
B. F. Shedd, gravel,	4 56
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	\$515 46

GRADING SALEM STREET.

Labor as per pay rolls,	\$105 00
G. W. Killorin, gravel,	8 10
Roller,	30 00
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	\$143 10

GRADING RICHARDSON STREET SIDEWALK.

Labor as per pay rolls,	\$188 00
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GRADING AUBURN STREET.

Labor as per pay rolls,	\$88 05
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GRADING CHESTNUT STREET.

Labor as per pay rolls,	\$680 00
Roller,	130 00
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	\$810 00

GRADING ALBION STREET.

Labor as per pay rolls,	\$269 00
E. Lemander, gravel,	24 40
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	\$293 40

GRADING CONVERSE STREET.

Labor as per pay rolls,	\$124 00
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SUNDRY SMALL JOBS.

Wall, Valley street,	\$9 00
Spring street,	44 14

Richardson street,	10 00
Gould street,	44 88
Lakeside fence,	18 00
Greenwood bridge,	23 97
Park avenue,	62 00
Sweetser street,	41 55
Broadway,	43 12
Wall, Pine street,	4 44
Murray street,	9 17
Drain, Chestnut street,	29 11
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	\$339 38

STREET SIGNS.

A. D. Oxley, turning posts,	\$9 75
A. L. Mansfield, posts,	29 00
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	\$38 75

MISCELLANEOUS BILLS.

J. A. Bancroft, surveys,	\$56 25
Sederquest & Wanamake, sundries,	30 94
L. D. Darling, fencing, etc.,	224 58
W. A. Carleton, gravel,	27 85
G. H. Taylor, sundries,	40 90
A. P. Tabor, gravel,	2 52
F. E. Newhall, flagstones,	28 22
Eric Lemander, gravel,	2 70
Lucas Bros., sundries,	2 46
J. Laybolt, "	8 54
A. W. Isele & Son, picks,	5 50
S. F. Littlefield & Co., sundries,	37 42
Ames Plow Co., sundries,	5 75
American Express Co., express,	15
F. W. Pierce, "	1 00
Junius Beebe, stone,	15 00
Moving trees,	3 49
Cutler Bros., sundries,	1 00
E. E. Lee, "	2 80

G. H. Hathaway, sprinkling streets,	49 00
G. M. Kelley, sundries,	30 85
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	\$576 92

CRUSHER.

Labor as per pay-rolls,	\$876 54
Walworth Mfg. Co., sundries,	9 18
Mass. District police, inspection,	2 00
Mansfield & Cheney, coal,	42 11
A. J. Wellington, sundries,	119 45
G. H. Taylor, "	4 98
J. M. Perley, coal,	78 08
C. H. Spencer, lumber,	8 92
Sederquest & Wanamake, sundries. . . .	20 81
Wakefield Rattan Co., labor,	40
Cutler Bros., sundries,	3 00
American Express Co., express,	95
Mrs. Richard Daley, rock,	178 73
D. W. Hunt, rock,	25 99
P. J. Flanders, rock,	115 40
A. L. Mansfield, rock,	164 92
S. J. Wanamake, rock,	19 23
E. C. Cloudman, rock,	28 06
E. L. Grinnell, rock,	243 80
W. M. Ward, rock,	50 84
Wm. Griffin, rock,	28 00
Gilbert Berry, rock,	82 00
Wm. Lee, rock,	50 40
J. D. Fowler, rock,	58 40
A. A. Butler, rock,	15 60
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	\$2,227 79

STONE CRUSHER REPORT.

Crushed stone on hand Feb. 1, 1897,	75 tons
Crushed from Feb. 1, to date,	3,833 "
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	3,908 tons

USED AS FOLLOWS.

Chestnut street,	1,118 tons
Main	“	Greenwood,	946 “
Salem	“	216 “
New Salem	“	91 “
Albion	“	75 “
Filling ruts, patching, small jobs and specials,	1,412 “
On hand,	50 “
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								3,908 tons
Average cost per ton, 1897,	57 cts.

List of town property on hand is as follows: 1 stone crushing plant, including steam drilling machine, drills, barrows, hose, tools, etc.; 1 road scraper, 1 road roller, 13 snow plows, 1 portable forge and anvil, 15 hand drills, 12 picks, 3 grub hoes, 6 hoes, 5 rakes, 2 long spoon shovels, 6 crowbars, 4 striking hammers, 7 sledge hammers, 3 axes, 2 buckets, 5 lanterns, 2 baskets, 2 oil cans, battery and wire, 1 street plow, 1 pattern for sand catcher grates, 1 concrete outfit.

REPORT OF CHIEF OF POLICE.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen :

GENTLEMEN,—The annual report of the doings of the police department for the year ending January 31st, 1898, is hereby respectfully submitted :

ARRESTS.

Whole number of arrests,	110
On warrants,	35
Without warrants,	75
Males,	102
Females,	8
Adults,	98
Minors,	12
Residents,	78
Non-residents,	32

NATIVITY OF PERSONS ARRESTED.

Canada,	1
England,	1
Ireland,	20
New Brunswick,	5
Nova Scotia,	6
Prince Edward's Island,	1
Scotland,	3
Sweden,	1
United States,	68
Unknown,	4

Total, 110

OCCUPATIONS.

Barber,	1
Blacksmith,	3
Carpenter,	4
Clerk,	1
Contractor,	1
Druggist,	1
Farmer,	2
Grocer,	1
Hostler,	1
Housewife,	2
Junk dealer,	1
Laborer,	28
Lather,	2
Machinist,	2
Mason,	1
Meat cutter,	1
Merchant,	1
Milk dealer,	1
Moulder,	1
Painter,	2
Pedlar,	1
Rattan worker,	10
Rubber worker,	2
Salesman,	2
Servant,	1
Shoemaker,	5
Small groceries,	4
Steam fitter,	1
Stone mason,	2
Stove polisher,	3
Teamster,	9
Upholsterer,	1
Wood worker,	1
Unknown,	4
None,	6
Total,	110

NATURE OF ARRESTS.

Abandonment.	1
Adulterated milk.	2
Assault and battery.	4
Assault, with intent to rape.	2
Bastardy.	1
Common nuisance.	1
Default warrants.	2
Disturbing peace.	12
Drunkenness.	56
Embezzlement.	1
Evading fare.	2
False pretenses.	1
Insane.	1
Larceny.	2
Lewdness.	1
Murder.	1
Non support.	4
Runaway.	1
Stubborn child.	1
Truancy.	1
Threats.	1
Unlicensed dog.	1
Violation of liquor law.	11

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DISPOSITION OF CASES IN DISTRICT COURT.

Continued (still in court).	3
Costs.	3
Defaulted.	6
Filed.	8
Fined.	54
House of Correction.	6
Lyman School.	1
Not guilty and discharged.	3
Nol prossed.	2
Probation.	6
Probable cause (held for grand jury).	2

State Farm,	2
Truant School,	1
Turned over to out-of-town officers,	7

Total, *109

Aggregate amount of fines imposed,	\$908.00
“ “ of fines paid in court,	588.00
“ “ of sentence imposed, . 4 yrs. 11 mo. 10 dys.	
Number of search warrants for liquors,	13
“ patients committed to Danvers Insane Hospital, .	5

MISCELLANEOUS WORK.

Accidents reported,	3
Assisted home,	4
Cases investigated,	152
Disturbances suppressed,	10
Defective streets and sidewalks reported,	11
Dead bodies cared for,	1
Dogs killed,	12
Fires put out without alarm,	2
Lanterns hung in dangerous places,	15
Lost children restored to parents,	1
Medical examiner's cases,	2
Places of business found open and secured,	84
Sick and injured persons cared for,	5
Stray teams cared for,	2
Stray horses cared for,	2
Street and sidewalk obstructions removed,	4

During the year 2,338 people were provided with lodgings at the lockup, of the following nationalities and occupations:

Arabia,	1
Canada,	45
England,	144
France,	3
Germany,	18
Greece,	1

*One not taken to court. Committed to Danvers Hospital.

Ireland,	624
New Brunswick,	21
New Foundland,	3
Nova Scotia,	12
Norway,	3
Prince Edward's Island,	1
Scotland,	57
Sweden,	18
United States,	1,381
Wales,	6
Total,	<hr/> 2,338

OCCUPATIONS.

Baker,	15	Plumber,	17
Barber,	5	Paper hanger,	10
Blacksmith,	49	Paper maker,	11
Boiler Maker,	5	Rope maker,	4
Bookbinder,	11	Salesman,	3
Boxmaker,	4	Shoemaker,	245
Brakeman,	5	Spinner,	41
Carpenter,	15	Steamfitter,	11
Cook,	6	Stone cutter,	23
Currier,	27	Stove mounter,	7
Engineer,	8	Stove polisher,	5
Fireman,	21	Tailor,	13
Gardener,	4	Teamster,	195
Hatter,	4	Tinsmith,	10
Hostler,	44	Waiter,	9
Laborer,	1,125	Weaver,	60
Machinist,	73	Wool carder,	4
Mason,	29		
Moulder,	108	Total,	<hr/> 2,338
Painter,	112		

The department remains the same as last year and virtually the same as it has been for a number of years, especially in regard to the number of officers and amount of money expended; even

back to when the town was very little more (if any) than half as large as it is at the present time.

The town has been fortunate for another year in regard to crime of a serious nature, there having been but a few during the year, and in nearly every case, by prompt action and hard work, the offenders were quickly brought to justice. This cannot last much longer as the town is growing very much faster than the police force.

I would again recommend that at least one more regular officer be added to the force. This would not mean (as it might seem to a casual observer) an additional expense to the town to the amount of that officer's salary, as it would save a large part of the expense of special police. It would increase the efficiency of that particular officer which would mean increased efficiency of the department as a whole.

I would also recommend that the two departments (night watch and police) be consolidated, for a number of reasons; one reason is that it would necessitate the keeping of but one account instead of two. There are other good reasons why this should be done.

I desire to thank the Honorable Board of Selectmen for their assistance and co-operation with the department. To His Honor Judge John W. Pettengill, Clerk William N. Tyler and Assistant Clerk Wilfred B. Tyler, I extend my acknowledgments. I also desire to thank the night officers and all members of the department for the efficient manner in which their duties have been performed; and all citizens who have rendered assistance and information.

Respectfully submitted.

ALVIN L. VANNAH.

Chief of Police.

February 1, 1898..

REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF MILK.

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SELECTMEN :

I herein submit my report as inspector of milk for the town of Wakefield, together with some observations upon the subject-matter.

It has been my purpose in administering this office to give the town the best possible service for the amount of money appropriated.

A larger appropriation would enable the inspector to extend the inspection so that the ground would be better covered and some lines of work taken up which cannot now be undertaken.

There have been taken for purposes of analysis this year sixty-seven (67) samples of milk whose average percentage of milk solids is twelve and ninety-four one hundredths (12.94) per cent, as against 12.83 per cent, the average percentage of milk solids for seventy-two (72), taken last year.

The standard fixed by law being thirteen (13) per cent of milk solids for seven months of the year (September to April), and twelve per cent the other five months. The showing of the present year is not bad; neither is it as good as it might and should be.

The legal standard required for milk not having been enforced in Wakefield previous to 1896, some dairymen filled their stalls with cows better calculated to give a larger quantity of milk than a milk of good standard quality. This condition is still present, and, abetted and encouraged by the low price of milk, tends to keep down the average quality. Two complaints have been prosecuted in the courts during the year, in both of which I failed to secure a conviction on technical grounds, but I am sure that the moral effect of their cases, in which the evidence was sufficient to show cause for procedure, will not be lost.

Heretofore milk inspection has been conducted almost entirely with the object of preventing commercial fraud by modifying it in any way, which is no doubt an important one, considering what a staple milk is.

The importance of the sanitary regulations of the production, storage and distribution of milk cannot be overestimated, and must in the near future overshadow the matter of its commercial standard value.

Milk is doubtless one of the most favorable mediums of any substance largely used, in which disease germs may propagate, and on this account the animals producing it, the men handling it, the vessels in which it is carried and premises where it is stored, should be subject to rigid sanitary regulation and inspection.

Prof. Sedgwick, of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, in a recent investigation of the milk supply of Boston, strongly condemns the system of supplying consumers with small cans or bottles, which, left at one house one day and another the next, form a most excellent line along which to pass contagious diseases.

The age of milk is an important factor in its wholesomeness.

It has been demonstrated that while refrigeration keeps down the acidity of milk, it does not appreciably check the multiplication of the germs always present in raw milk, so that an old milk—sweet so far as sourness is concerned—may be unfit for use, in fact, dangerous.

Such is the danger lurking in uncooked milk, that I know of several eminent chemists who never use it unless it has been heated to 160 degrees Fahrenheit, which temperature, although not cooking it to any extent, kills germs.

As there are at present fifty-seven licensed peddlers of milk and sixty stores and drivers registered in Wakefield, selling an aggregate of 375 cans, or 3,000 quarts per day, the importance of having a good milk supply can be readily understood.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSIAH S. BONNEY,

Inspector of Milk.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH.

Your Board of Health has sought during the year to extend and amplify the good work begun by former boards and to introduce such new work as circumstances have rendered necessary. We have found the citizens willing to co-operate with us in our endeavors to help make our fair town a model and desirable place of residence, except in one case in which His Honor, Judge Pettingill, co-operated with us by fining a persistent violater of your regulations. One of the first things that was thrust upon our attention was the bad condition of the pond near the Centre depot. The board has caused notices to be served upon twenty-six parties entering the stream running into the pond, ordering them to take the pipe out of the stream.

Nearly all of these notices have been complied with, the most notable exception being the Town Hall, represented by the Board of Selectmen, who are awaiting action by the town looking toward building a sewer in the central portion of the town.

A bad condition of things exists in the more thickly settled portions of our town on account of the frequent filling and overflowing of cesspools, and your board is constantly called upon to pass and enforce regulations that are a hardship upon the particular persons affected. Upon taking office your board appointed an inspector of plumbing in the person of Mr. Greenleaf S. Turkey of Reading, a gentleman fully qualified to pass expert opinion upon plumbing matters, with Major Geo. H. Taylor as assistant inspector.

In compliance with the plumbing laws of the state a board of examiners of plumbers was organized consisting of the inspector of plumbing and assistant inspector with the secretary of this board, before whom all candidates for a plumber's license must

come and prove themselves by practical and theoretical examination to be competent in sanitary plumbing.

After consideration by the selectmen, and refusal to appropriate money by the town on their recommendation, of a ditch to carry off surface water coming down West Chestnut street, this board was obliged to relieve the adjoining house-holders from flooding of their cellars.

A good ample drain extending from West Chestnut street to beyond the rattan factory is needed to protect our highways and prevent flooding of cellars along the line to the danger of the health of persons living there.

There has been no time during the year when one or more cases of diphtheria have not existed in town, and typhoid and scarlet fever have existed to some extent.

This board has received from the State Board of Health a large number of bottles of Diphtheria Anti-toxin during the year, subject to the order of local physicians. Our physicians have given very favorable reports on the Diphtheria Anti-toxin, expressing the opinion that it has materially reduced the death rate from this dread disease, and that cases have yielded to its influence that in *their* opinion were not amenable to former methods of treatment.

Subjoined are the reports of Health Officer and the Inspector of Plumbing to the Board of Health.

JOSEPH W. HEATH, M. D., *Chairman.*

JOSIAH S. BONNEY, *Secretary.*

WM. H. McCAUSLAND, *Health Officer.*

REPORT OF THE HEALTH OFFICER.

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF HEALTH,

I submit the following report :

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES AS FOLLOWS.

Membranous Croup,	2
Diphtheria,	58
Scarlet Fever,	49
Measles,	34
Typhoid Fever,	11
Nuisances abated,	29
Cesspools located,	28
Cases investigated for boarding small children,	10
Buried five dogs and six cats.	

WM. H. McCAUSLAND, *Health Officer.*

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING.

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF HEALTH :

Gentlemen : — I herewith submit the following report of duty performed since my appointment to the office of inspector, March 25, 1897.

There have been seventy-two permits granted to date, inspected and tested and left in a safe and thorough condition. One violation of the town ordinance that was satisfactorily rectified.

I sincerely thank the secretary and other members of the board, also the craft, for the gentlemanly manner in which they have assisted me in the performance of my duty.

Most respectfully submitted,

GREENLEAF S. TUKEY,

Inspector of Plumbing.

WAKEFIELD, Dec. 31, 1897.

SWEETSER CHARITY.

WAKEFIELD, Feb. 1, 1898.

ELLEN S. ROGERS, Treasurer,

In account with SWEETSER CHARITY.

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To balance on hand Feb. 1, 1897,	\$92 54
“ interest on deposit,	2 96
“ cash from Sweetser Lectures,	173 30
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Total,	\$268 80

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By distribursments during the year,	\$105 09
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Balance on hand,	\$163 71

ELLEN S. ROGERS, *Treasurer.*

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES

—OF—

THE BEEBE TOWN LIBRARY

—AND—

PUBLIC READING ROOM,

—WITH A—

LIST OF PERIODICALS

IN THE READING ROOM.

1898.

ORGANIZATION OF TRUSTEES.

Chairman,	Otis V. Waterman.
Treasurer,	Thomas J. Skinner.
Secretary,	William E. Rogers.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

LIBRARY.

Thomas Winship,	M. P. Foster,	Peter S. Roberts.
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FINANCE.

Solon O. Richardson,	Otis V. Waterman,	William W. Taft.
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BOOKS.

Otis V. Waterman,	William E. Rogers,	Harry Foster,
William W. Taft,	Peter S. Roberts,	Maitland P. Foster.

READING ROOM.

Ashton H. Thayer,	Peter S. Roberts,	William W. Taft.
Solon O. Richardson,	Thomas Winship.	

CATALOGUE.

Maitland P. Foster,	Ashton H. Thayer,	William E. Rogers.
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Librarian.	Harriet A. Shepard.
Janitor of Reading Room,	Rufus F. Draper.
Purchasing Agent for Library, . . .	William E. Rogers.

TRUSTEES' REPORT.

The Trustees of the Beebe Town Library and Public Reading Room herewith present their annual report.

The work of an organization like ours and the progress it makes reminds one of a stream. At times it is all life and action. It has a full head on; every drop is in motion; obstacles are encountered, are broken over or dodged, and on the current dashes to new scenes. Then comes the open meadow and all is quiet and calm; the stream seems asleep. But it is nevertheless doing its work and accomplishing its object all the same.

This latter scene more correctly pictures the work we have to record for the past year. During it we have had no rocky experiences, have met no obstacles. We have so little to chronicle on retrospection that we seem to have scarcely stirred. Yet we believe the circulation of our books has been more widely extended and the comfort and enjoyment derived from the free use of them more generally recognized than ever before. We have expended the money placed in our hands as judiciously as we knew how, always however, bearing in mind that we must not be guided alone by our personal tastes. We always hear some adverse criticism upon our judgment in selecting books; we expect it. Then we experience *our* rocky times. But just as the stream in being dashed over the rocks, continually re-exposing its every drop to the breeze, gathers from it those properties that make it life-giving in its after career, so will free criticism enable us to better serve the reading public. We court it, for we do not pretend to have absorbed all the wisdom of the ancients, nor can we otherwise fathom the judgment of our modern censors of literature. But through the many readers of our books, whose criticism alone we consider of value, we have been assisted much and often. All that we request of the citizens is to read what we add to the library before passing upon our judgment. No one who

reads much can help being a lover of books, and they are the just critics and to them we bow.

DONATIONS.

We have received many books by gift during the year for which the board tenders its thanks to one and all of the givers. Cramped as we have been for money, one of our former trustees, Mr. Junius Beebe, realizing our needs, sent us his check for \$100. It came at the right time and has enabled us to purchase many valuable books which we could not have afforded to buy otherwise.

BULLETIN.

It is now two-years since we have had our additions catalogued and it will be necessary to issue a bulletin this spring, in order to properly place them before the public; and this leads up to what you are looking for, namely, our recommendation as to

APPROPRIATION.

Last year we asked for \$300 and the dog tax, \$570.20. We knew it would be too small to meet our readers' wants. It was. We have been hampered in our work all the year as the result. We must now issue a new bulletin and we must begin to add a larger proportion of works other than fiction. We have been able to do but little more, the past year, than satisfy the public demand for the latter class of literature, and this should not be so. We doubt if our citizens are aware that we are far behind our sister towns in what we are doing for the town library, but their town reports show such to be the fact. *Double our appropriation and we would yet be behind* Clinton, Leominster, Winchester, Milton, Weymouth, Arlington and Melrose. We have the figures and we know whereof we speak. For these and for other reasons the trustees feel they would be neglecting their duty in recommending that the town appropriate the sum of \$500 and the proceeds of the dog tax of 1897, for the Library during the coming year.

READING ROOM.

We cannot speak with as much satisfaction of this branch as we wish. The amount we annually expend is about as much as

we feel we can judiciously use. It is a source of benefit to many and is generally well patronized, but there are obstacles to its proper use which we cannot overcome and they prevent its being the place of enjoyment and profit to some who do not make use of it under, and on account of, the existing circumstances. The ventilation is so bad and the noise and disorder frequently arising, owing to the lack of an attendant, will necessarily keep some readers away. We see no way of remedying these difficulties until we have a library building. We recommend for the Public Reading Room an appropriation of \$175.

FURNITURE.

The furniture of the reading room has become very shabby and should be at once re-covered. We are obliged to ask for a special appropriation to cover the cost of this, and recommend that the sum of \$25 be appropriated for this purpose.

WILLIAM E. ROGERS,

For the Trustees.

List of Publications in the Reading Room.

MONTHLIES.

Arena,	Literary World.
Art,	McClure's,
Atlantic,	Munsey's,
Blackwood's,	National Magazine,
Carpentry and Building,	New England Magazine,
Century,	North American Review.
Cosmopolitan,	Outing,
Forum,	Pall Mall Magazine,
Good Housekeeping,	Recreation,
Harper's Monthly,	Review of Reviews,
Harper's Round Table,	Scribner's,
Ladies' Home Journal,	Self-Culture.
Ladies' Home World,	St. Nicholas,
Lippincott's.	Strand.

FORTNIGHTLY.

The Literary World.

WEEKLIES.

American Architect.	Literary Digest,
American Field,	Metal Worker,
Forest and Stream.	National Tribune.
Frank Leslie's Illustrated.	New York Tribune.
Harper's Bazar,	Puck,
Harper's Weekly.	Scientific American,
Illustrated American.	Shooting and Fishing,
Irish World.	Texas Siftings,
Judge.	Wakefield Citizen and Banner.
Life.	Youth's Companion.

DAILY PAPERS.

Boston Herald,	Sunday Globe.
Boston Journal,	Sunday Journal.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT.

Number of volumes in the Library, February 1, 1897,	12,489
Added by purchase during the year,	287
“ “ “ to replace worn out volumes,	58
“ “ donations,	82
Magazines bound from the reading room.	18
	<hr/> 12,934

Volumes worn out during the year,	87
Total numbers of volumes in the Library Feb. 1, 1898,	12,847

Donations from

United States,	22
State of Massachusetts,	24
Junius Beebe, Esq.,	22
Mrs. E. P. Colby,	5
Mrs. M. A. Bishop,	5
George E. Dunbar, Esq.,	1
Captain John Anderson,	1
R. C. Winthrop, Esq.,	1
Elizabeth Birkmaier,	1
	<hr/> 82

Persons having signed application cards during 1897,	350
Total number of cards issued,	4,580
Number of books delivered during 1897,	23,506
Delivered during March, 1897,	2,746
Largest number delivered in one day,	334
Number of volumes replaced during the year,	58
Number of volumes rebound during the year,	90

HARRIET A. SHEPARD, *Librarian.*

WAKEFIELD, February 1, 1898.

RULES FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF TOWN MEETINGS.

SEC. 1.—Every person speaking shall rise and stand uncovered; shall respectfully address the chair or moderator; shall confine himself to the question under debate, and avoid all personalities.

SEC. 2.—All original questions shall be put in the order in which they are moved, unless, as in the case of amendments, the subsequent motion be previous in its nature, except that the largest sum named and the longest time mentioned shall be first put.

SEC. 3.—No motions shall be received and put until they are seconded, and all motions shall be reduced to writing by the persons making them, when so requested by the moderator.

SEC. 4.—All questions of order shall be decided by the moderator, subject to an appeal to the meeting, and the question on appeal shall be submitted before any other.

SEC. 5.—The moderator shall declare all votes, and whenever his declaration of vote is immediately questioned by seven or more voters present, account shall be had by tellers appointed by the moderator.

SEC. 6.—When a question is under debate no motion shall be in order except to adjourn, to lay on the table, the previous question, to postpone to a day certain, to commit, to amend, or to postpone indefinitely, which several motions shall have precedence in the order herein named.

SEC. 7.—On motions to adjourn (except when the business of balloting is unfinished), to lay on the table, to take from the table, and for the previous question, not exceeding six minutes shall be allowed for debate, and no person shall speak on the motion more than two minutes.

SEC. 8.—The previous question shall be put in the following form: “Shall the main question be now put?” and until this question is decided, all debate on the main question shall be suspended, except as provided in section nine. Immediately after taking and adopting the previous question, the sense of the meeting shall be taken upon any pending amendments, in the order inverse of that in which they were moved, and finally upon the main question.

SEC. 9.—When a debate is closed by ordering the previous question, or by a vote to close debate at a specified time, the person who shall have introduced the matter under consideration shall be allowed to speak seven minutes, and may grant to any other person any portion of his time.

SEC. 10.—No person shall speak upon a question more than once when any other person desires to be heard; nor more than twice on the same question without permission of the meeting; and no person shall occupy more than ten minutes at one time.

SEC. 11.—No person speaking shall be interrupted but by a call to order.

SEC. 12.—All committees shall be named and appointed by the moderator, unless otherwise directed by the meeting; and it shall be the duty of the member first named to promptly call the committee together for organization.

SEC. 13.—No motion, once made and disposed of, shall be again received at the same meeting, or at any adjournment thereof; but any voter may move a reconsideration, which, when decided, shall not be reconsidered at that meeting or at any adjournment thereof.

SEC. 14.—At any session of a town meeting, except for the election of national, state, county, or town officers, the moderator or presiding officer shall allow none but legal voters to remain upon the floor of the hall, except by courtesy of the meeting.

SEC. 15.—When the report of a committee is placed in the hands of the moderator, it shall be deemed to be properly before the meeting for its action thereon, and a vote to accept the same

shall discharge the committee, but shall not be equivalent to a vote to carry out its recommendations without a special vote to adopt it.

SEC. 16.—No reports of committees shall be in order unless made under an article in the warrant which indicates the subject to be reported upon.

SEC. 17.—The duties of the presiding officer not prescribed by law, nor by the foregoing rules, shall be determined by the rules of practice contained in Cushing's Manual, so far as they are adapted to town meetings.

STATISTICS

—FROM—

TOWN CLERK'S REGISTER.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Wakefield during the Year 1897.

Date of Marriage.	Names of Bride and Groom.	Age	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Place of Birth.	Names of Parents.	What Marriage.	By whom Married.
Jan. 1. {	Alanson M. Stevens. Bessie M. Day.	33 17	Wakefield. "	Cornish, N. H., Fred'kton, N. B.,	Manson and Amanda M., John H. and Thirza J.,	First. "	George N. Howard, at Melrose.
Jan. 6. {	Thomas P. Berry. Pantha Brown.	58 57	Lynn. "	Nova Scotia. "	Samuel and Mary. Charles and Jane,	Second. "	N. R. Everts, at Wakefield.
Jan. 19. {	Alden B. Gardner. Florence A. Cushing.	43 26	Salem. Wakefield.	Lawrence, Dartmouth, N.S.,	Thomas N. and Mary E., James F. and Mary A.,	Third, First.	S. G. Dunham, at Wakefield.
Jan. 28. {	Frederick E. Baker, Minnie B. Marshall.	31 22	Wakefield. "	Wakefield. Gloucester.	Frederick M. and Abbie J. Horace and Emma A.,	First. "	S. G. Dunham, at Wakefield.
Jan. 30. {	John W. Austin. Hattie L. Hawes.	23 19	Reading, Wakefield.	Reading, North Quincy.	Oliver W. and Abbie E., Charles H. and Emma F.,	First. "	S. G. Dunham, at Wakefield.
Jan. 30. {	Charles F. Abbott, Mabel A. Wheeler.	19 19	Wakefield. "	Wakefield, Warner, N. H.,	Osceola and Flora H., Philip M. and Mary F.,	First. "	S. G. Dunham, at Wakefield.
Feb. 6. {	Joseph Fredett, Frances Doucett.	24 22	Wakefield, "	Windsor, Ca., Nova Scotia,	Dorbe and Josephine, Isaiah and Rose,	First. "	S. G. Dunham, at Wakefield.
Feb. 13. {	Jhalman Lofstrom, Clara S. Bjorndahl.	25 25	Wakefield, "	Sweden. "	Pontus and Carlotta, Andus and Louise,	First. "	N. R. Everts, at Wakefield.
Feb. 20. {	Thomas E. Berrett, Isabell Campbell,	21 20	Saugus, Wakefield.	Saugus, Nova Scotia.	John M. and Ellen, John and Margaret,	First. "	A. P. Davis, at Wakefield.
Feb. 24. {	George A. Wheeler, Margaret E. Wells, (Dobson)	46 48	Wakefield, "	Lancaster, Nova Scotia.	Timothy and Ann M., Isaac and Annie,	First, Second.	N. R. Everts.

Mar. 1.	{ Roy J. Stewart, Margaret A. Mahaney	22 Lynn. 22 "	Newport, R. I., St. John, N. B.,	James and Alice, James and Julia.	First. "	N. R. Everts, at Wakefield.
Mar. 10.	{ Otto Runge, Emma Nowe,	24 Reading. 24 "	Germany, Nova Scotia.	Theodor and Marie, Jacob and Isabella,	First. "	C. H. Learoyd, at Wakefield.
Mar. 11.	{ Frank N. Rhoades. Mahala Hennigar,	40 Wakefield. 37 "	Eastport, Me., Northfield, N. S.,	Stillman and Mary, Caleb and Lydia.	Third. First.	A. P. Herrick, at Wakefield.
Mar. 11.	{ Josiah Macwhirter. Ella M. Bishop.	29 Reading. 27 Wakefield.	New Brunswick, "	Alexander and Sarah. Mariner and Lucy.	First. "	Geo. N. Howard, at Melrose.
Mar. 31.	{ Albert A. Church. Helen L. Proctor. (Gale)	31 Marblehead. 35 "	Marblehead, "	George R. and Hannah H., Benj. F. and Abbie M.,	First, Second.	A. P. Davis, at Wakefield.
Apr. 7.	{ Edward A. Rich, Carrie M. Murdock,	32 Wakefield. 31 "	Quincy. Charlestown,	Benjamin and Eliza, Caleb and Maria.	Second. First.	Geo. E. How. at Wakefield.
Apr. 13.	{ George H. McKenzie, Nellie L. Eaton.	23 No. Reading, 18 "	Nova Scotia, North Reading.	Angus and Mary C., Charles E. and Athelinda,	First. "	A. P. Davis, at Wakefield.
Apr. 14.	{ Ernest Mortimer, Emma Readmond.	19 Wakefield. 21 "	England, Lynn.	William and Louisa, John D. and Angeline P.,	First. "	C. E. Davis, at Lynn.
Apr. 20.	{ Edward J. Murphy, Margaret L. Hallisy,	31 Wakefield. 22 "	Ireland. "	Jeremiah and Mary. Michael and Margaret.	First. "	Wm. T. O'Connor, at Wakefield.
Apr. 21.	{ John D. Campbell. Alexis G. Fenton.	23 Wakefield. 21 "	Nova Scotia, Chatham, N. B.,	Donald and Mary. John and Agnes.	First. "	A. H. Herrick, at Wakefield.
Apr. 22.	{ George A. Wilson. Lillian Ingham,	32 Wakefield. 31 Lawrence,	So. Andover, England,	John and Margaret, Thomas and Sarah,	First. "	C. H. Learoyd, at Wakefield.
Apr. 27.	{ George L. Ellis, Adeline Hubbard.	21 Reading, 24 Wakefield.	Yarmouth, N. S., Nova Scotia.	William and Annie. Peter and Fannie.	First. "	Wm. T. O'Connor, at Wakefield.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Wakefield during the Year 1897—Continued.

Date of Marriage.	Names of Bride and Groom.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Place of Birth.	Names of Parents.	What Marriage.	By whom Married.
Apr. 28, {	William F. Barrett, Mary E. Cox,	31 Reading, 28 Wakefield,	Reading, Wakefield,	Patrick and Hannah, Timothy and Mary,	First, "	Wm. T. O'Connor, at Wakefield.
Apr. 29, {	Louis J. Kenrick, Mary E. Howell,	46 Wakefield, 48 "	New York, N. Y., Nova Scotia,	William A. & Emeline L., Thomas and Mary E.,	Second, First,	C. H. Hickok.
May 12, {	Mason J. Hopkins, Eva E. Stanton,	35 Prov., R. I., 30 Wakefield,	Green, R. I., Glassenbury, Ct.,	Joseph T. and Harriet, Norris and Mary,	First, "	S. G. Dunham, at Wakefield.
May 12, {	Charles M. Grant, Ellen M. Staples,	40 Wakefield, 40 Somerville,	Stockton, Me., "	Raymond R. & Olive A., George U. and Mary A.,	Second, First,	L. A. Bosworth, at Somerville.
May 13, {	Levi W. Marshall, Grace E. Aborn,	31 Wakefield, 24 "	Bridgewater, Wakefield,	William H. & Rechamah, George W. and Mary F.,	First, "	A. P. Davis, at Wakefield.
June 1, {	Edwin Greenger, Alice B. Badger,	39 Wakefield, 23 Reading,	Holden, Me., Reading,	Edwin and Melvina, William H. & Caroline A.,	First, "	Isaac W. Grimes, at Reading.
June 2, {	Othet M. L. West, Ann J. Preston,	35 Lynnfield, 25 Wakefield,	Nova Scotia, Wakefield,	Asaph and Lavinia, Joseph and Margaret,	First, "	Wm. T. O'Connor, at Wakefield.
June 2, {	Clarence R. W'dward, Eva J. Pratt,	21 Wakefield, 18 "	New Salem, Wakefield,	Nelson H. and Emma A., Thomas B. and Clara A.,	First, "	A. H. Herrick, at Wakefield.
June 2, {	Frank H. Bryant, Sadie J. Carr,	36 Wakefield, 31 "	Wakefield, Maitland, N. S.,	William C. and Ellen M., James and Delilah,	First, "	C. H. Learoyd, at Wakefield.
June 2, {	Jesse C. Edmands, M. Josephine Hill,	24 Wakefield, 18 Boston,	Wakefield, Boston,	Rodney and Josephine, Fred D. B. & Fannie M.,	First, "	Edward Mansfield, at Wakefield.

June 8, {	William White, Jr. Lora Gates,	21 18	Wakefield, "	Yarmouth, N. S., Halifax, N. H.,	William and Mary, George and	First, "	N. R. Everts, at Wakefield.
June 8, {	Elmer J. Wheeler, Grace A. Proctor,	29 25	Wakefield, "	Plymouth, Vt., Boston,	James P. and Eveline M., George C. & Charlotte E.,	First, "	Thos. W. Nicker- at Boston.
June 14, {	Frederick H. Reed, Bertha A. Miller,	27 23	Boston, Wakefield,	Winchester, Halifax, N. S.,	George D. and Susan, Charles H. & Caroline J.,	First, "	N. R. Everts, at Wakefield.
June 15, {	Charles O. Waterman, Caroline E. Bishop,	35 27	Wakefield, "	Boston, Calais, Me.,	Otis V. and Ellen F., James and Mary E.	First, Second,	A. P. Davis, at Wakefield.
June 15, {	Nathan M. Shaw, Mary Jukes,	29 43	Wakefield, "	East Boston, England,	Nathan M. & Rebecca K., John and Harriet,	First, "	A. H. Herrick, at Wakefield.
June 17, {	Whitfield H. Bishop, Lauretta R. Smith,	22 18	Wakefield, Salem,	Framingham, Salem,	John C. and Jane, George C. and Lauretta,	First, "	DeWitt S. Clark, at Salem.
June 20, {	Charles Koeller, Minnie J. Lee,	36 25	Wakefield, "	Germany, Ireland,	Adam and Frederika, Andrew and Mary,	Second, First,	J. E. Millerick, at Wakefield.
June 22, {	Lyman H. Brown, Ursula W. (Skinner)	57 36	Somerville, Wakefield,	Rutland, Vt., Truro, N. S.,	Lyman and Sarah A., George H. and Mary A.,	Second, "	S. G. Dunham, at Wakefield.
June 23, {	Angus E. McKenzie, Amy A. Woodworth,	23 26	Wakefield, "	Nova Scotia, "	Angus and Mary C., Anos and Elizabeth A.,	First, "	A. P. Davis, at Wakefield.
June 30, {	Calvin C. Cavanaugh, Jennie E. Hart,	28 22	Wakefield, "	Yarmouth, N. S., Charlottetown, P.I.	Alonzo R. and Abigail J., Leo and Elizabeth,	First, "	A. H. Herrick, at Wakefield.
June 30, {	Frank A. Palmer, Annie L. Lassele,	21 19	Wakefield, "	Whitefield, N. H., Wakefield,	Francis H. and Melina, Charles and May,	First, "	John W. Powell, at Malden.
July 6, {	Frank E. Butler, Mary L. Sevey,	39 22	Wakefield, "	Gloucester, Saranac, N. Y.,	Epes and Amanda E., Peter and Lizzie,	First, "	J. H. VanBuren, at Lynn.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Wakefield during the Year 1897—Continued.

Date of Marriage.	Names of Bride and Groom.	Age of Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Place of Birth.	Names of Parents.	What Marriage.	By whom Married.
July 7, {	Charles S. Young, Lillian Shew,	33 18	Wakefield, "	Winchester, St. Thomas, W. I.	William F. and Ada L., Thomas T. P. & Annette M.	First, "	S. G. Dunham, at Wakefield.
July 15, {	George C. Fuller, Harriet C. Eaton.	29 30	Wellesley, "	Needham, Leominster,	Edwin and Melvina, Joseph and Caroline,	First, "	A. P. Davis, at Wakefield.
July 28, {	Albert E. Lord. Carrie Dana.	44 39	Wakefield, Westboro',	Somersw'n, N. H., Chelsea,	George and Eliza. Erastus and Augusta,	Second, First,	Merle A. Breed, at Westborough.
Aug. 3, {	Alexander McKae, Jennie McDougal,	29 30	Lynnfield, "	Cape Breton, Nova Scotia,	Daniel A. and Anna B., Hugh and Catherine.	First, "	S. G. Dunham, at Wakefield.
Aug. 5, {	Arthur Greenough, Julia L. Hopkins,	40 40	Wakefield, "	Chester, N. H., Wakefield,	William and Harriet M., E. Sumner and Mary L.,	First, "	A. P. Davis, at Wakefield.
Aug. 14, {	George A. Perkins, Jane F. Johnson,	36 32	Wakefield, "	Essex, Ireland.	Gustavus S. and Edna, Henry and Eliza,	Second, "	C. H. Learoyd, at Wakefield.
Aug. 18, {	Herbert S. Johnson, Hattie A. Currier,	40 26	Wakefield, Lawrence- ville, N. J., Wakefield,	Lowell, Wakefield.	Moses A. and Elmira S., Amos A. and Mary E.,	First, "	Robt. W. Wallace, at Lowell.
Aug. 26, {	Haig H. Josephson, Sultan Chopoorian,	27 27	Wakefield, Montclair, [N. J.]	Armenia, "	Harry and Sophie, Boghos and Yeva,	First, "	N. R. Everts, at Wakefield.
Sept. 2, {	James W. Cavanaugh, Gertrude L. Atwood,	26 18	Wakefield, Worcester.	Boston, Athol,	James W. and Susan, Henry and Lydia J.,	First, "	J. E. Millerick, at Wakefield.
Sept. 8, {	Peter G. Ohlson, Selma J. Ramburg,	24 20	Wakefield, "	Sweden, "	Olaf C. and Ingrid M., Peter R. and Louise.	First, "	C. F. Johnson, at Boston.

Sept. 8, {	Hugh T. Duffill, Hephzibah Perrins,	24 Wakefield, 22 Somerville,	Plaistow, N. H., Boston,	John and Ellen, Samuel and Hephzibah,	First, "	Jos. P. Abbott, at Medford.
Sept. 8, {	Thomas F. Braggy, Julia A. Connell,	24 Stoneham, 25 Wakefield,	Newton, Wakefield,	William and Elizabeth, Peter and Mary,	First, "	Wm. T. O'Connor, at Wakefield.
Sept. 12, {	Nicolo Sullo, Mary de Cecca,	29 Wakefield, 19 "	Italy, France,	Anello and Bessie, Antonio and Elizabetha,	First, "	A. Butelli, at Boston.
Sept. 18, {	David F. Orr, Lovina (Ripley) [Freeman,	29 Muncie, Ind., 50 Wakefield,	Louisville, Ky., Buckfield, Me.,	James and Martha, Valentine R. and Lovina,	Third, Second,	S. G. Dunham, at Wakefield.
Sept. 20, {	Orrin A. Stone, Mary J. Hemenway,	25 Wakefield, 18 Stoneham,	Wakefield,	Orrin and Maria N., Moses and Ella,	First, "	Chas. H. Hickok, at Wakefield.
Sept. 29, {	John I. Surrette, Delphine F. Doucette,	21 Stoneham, 20 Wakefield,	Yarmouth, N. S., Nova Scotia,	Martin and Elizabeth, John and Frances,	First, "	J. E. Millerick, at Wakefield.
Oct. 3, {	John A. Curran, Catherine A. Regan,	31 Boston, 29 Wakefield,	Housatonic, Wakefield,	Michael and Mary, Timothy and	First, "	Wm. T. O'Connor, at Wakefield.
Oct. 6, {	Thomas F. W. Boyd, Mary E. Morrison,	33 Wakefield, 21 "	Brigham, Cal., P. E. Island,	Thomas and Eliza J., Daniel and Catherine,	First, "	Chas. A. Feyhl, at Boston.
Oct. 7, {	James E. Duffy, Margaret (Murphy) [McGliney,	30 Wakefield, 31 Salem,	Roston, Peabody,	Michael and Ellen, Patrick and Martha,	First, Second,	P. McCall, at Salem.
Oct. 20, {	Walter P. Brace, Sarah T. Shaw,	38 Taunton, 36 "	P. E. Island, Taunton,	George and Hannah, John and Catherine,	First, "	C. H. Learoyd, at Wakefield.
Oct. 27, {	Harry R. McCombie, Addie M. Harnden,	27 Stoneham, 23 Wakefield,	Bath, Me., Wakefield,	William and Emma, Fred G. and Mary E.,	First, "	A. P. Davis, at Wakefield.
Oct. 31, {	Robert E. Gibson, Marg't M. Remington,	22 Melrose, 21 Wakefield,	Sidney, C. B., Hingham,	James H. and Margaret, Beth and Margaret,	First, "	Wm. T. O'Connor, at Wakefield.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Wakefield during the Year 1897—Continued.

Date of Marriage.	Names of Bride and Groom.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Place of Birth.	Names of Parents.	What Marriage.	By whom Married.
Nov. 2, {	Edward H. Francis, Fanny Duiong,	43 Wakefield, 34 Stoneham,	England, Yarmouth, N. S.,	Thomas and Annie, Louis and Mary A.,	Second, First,	C. H. Learoyd, at Stoneham.
Nov. 3, {	Aloysius P. Butler, Nora F. Sullivan,	25 Wakefield, 23 Malden,	Wakefield, Ireland,	Patrick and Annie, John and Mary,	First, "	J. J. Lyons, at Malden.
Nov. 11, {	William Blanchard, Nellie McKennan,	21 Wakefield, 20 "	Bay City, Mich., Essex Co., Va.,	Prudent M. and Rosalie, Norman J. and Annie,	First, "	C. E. Tullar, at Wakefield.
Nov. 13, {	Morris J. Hartnett, Etta C. Gould,	37 Wakefield, 34 "	Manchester, N. H., Dunbarton, N. H.,	John F. and Margaret F., David E. and Sarah,	First, "	Geo. H. Cheney, at Lynn.
Nov. 18, {	Harvey S. Parker, Augusta M. (Darey) [Ward,	34 Wakefield, 43 "	Reading, Taunton,	Wyman B. & Caroline E., Cyril N. and Betsey A.,	Second, "	N. R. Everts, at Wakefield.
Nov. 22, {	LaRoy Perry, Ellen Hawley,	32 Wakefield, 32 Melrose,	Foxboro, East Boston,	Henry C. & Elizabeth M., William H. and Mary T.,	First, "	Wm. B. Frisby, at Boston.
Nov. 24, {	John J. Glynn, Mary T. Hickey,	26 Stoneham, 25 Wakefield,	Stoneham, Lawrence,	James and Ann, Cornelius and Bridget,	First, "	J. E. Millerick, at Wakefield.
Nov. 24, {	Austin H. Smith, Charlotte I. Brandt,	23 Medford, 20 Wakefield,	Shelburne, N. S., Cambridge,	Jethro N. and Augusta, H. Hendrick & Ellen M.,	First, "	C. E. Tullar, at Wakefield.
Nov. 24, {	Fred A. Hunt, Eliz'th W. Stevens,	27 Wakefield, 25 Amesbury,	Whitefield, Me., Greenland, N. H.,	Albert W. & Harriet L., Albion and Carrie,	First, "	Henry Bedinger, at Salem.
Dec. 8, {	Fredrick J. Swanteee, Augusta Perry,	29 Wakefield, 23 Reading,	Sweden. "	Swautee and Anna, John P. and Mary,	First, "	Sam'l A. Bragg, at Reading.

Dec. 9, {	Fred M. Swett, Daisy L. Bryant,	23 Lynn, 18 Reading,	Stoneham, Wakefield,	Fred M. and Anna J., Loton W. and Lottie M.,	First, "	N. R. Everis, at Wakefield.
Dec. 19, {	William A. Cam, Mabel F. Heath,	25 Prov., R. I., 18 Wakefield,	Yarmouth, N. S., Worcester,	James C. and Elizabeth, Albert and Sarah J.,	Second, First,	Geo. L. Collyer, at Chelsea.
Dec. 22, {	Everett W. Oliver, Ellen F. Low,	29 Wakefield, 25 "	Wakefield, "	Benj. W. and Lucy C., Joseph K. and Rachael C.,	Second, First,	S. G. Dunham, at Wakefield.
Dec. 24, {	Charles S. Anderson, Minnie C. Clondman,	24 Wakefield, 24 "	Wakefield, Alexandria, N. H.	Henry and Catherine, Charles and Jane A.,	First, "	Sam'l A. Bragg, at Wakefield,
Dec. 26, {	Martin Joyce, Mary E. Dubig,	24 Wakefield, 23 "	Ireland, Wakefield,	John and Mary, John and Mary,	First, "	J. E. Millerick, at Wakefield.
Dec. 29, {	Albert W. Flint, Lillian L. Jelly,	29 Wakefield, 26 Salem.	Wakefield, Salem,	Silas W. and Mary A., George G. & Caroline F.,	First, "	Henry Bedinger, at Salem.
Dec. 30, {	Harry H. Pease, Ada G. Cooper,	25 Reading, 24 Wakefield.	Reading, Wakefield,	William S. and Julia M., Reuben L. & Caroline A.,	First, "	A. P. Davis, at Wakefield.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Wakefield during the Year 1897.

Date.	Name of Deceased.	Age.		Condition.	Birthplace.	Names of Parents.	Cause of Death.
		y.	m. d.				
Jan.	4 Emanuel Widell,	48	5	7 Married,	Sweden.	Nicholas & Johanna,	Railroad accident.
	7 Angeline M. Readmond (Palmer),	51	3	14 Married.	Nova Scotia.	Henry and Lucretia,	Cancer of liver & stom-
	12 Ralph Carlson,	1	2	19 Single,	Wakefield.	Axel W. and Hulda,	Convulsions. [ach.]
	12 Merritt N. Cobb,	18	3	5 Single,	Wakefield.	Alouzo S. and Ida L.,	Accidental injury.
	13 Annie Maloney (McCallough),	27	0	0 Married,	East Boston.	Henry and Annie,	Gastritis.
	13 Sarah M. Cudworth (Powers),	46	4	20 Married,	Halifax, N. S.	Charles E. & Maria J.,	Apoplexy.
	15 Bridget A. Glynn,	5	11	21 Single,	Wakefield.	John and Hannah,	Burning.
	17 Thomas F. Barrett,	26	8	0 Single,	Wakefield.	Richard & Margaret,	Pneumonia.
	18 Florena H. Abbott (Parker),	45	5	10 Married.	Wakefield.	Wm. D. & Florena W.,	Septicæmia.
	18 Ruby Bishop (Daniels),	75	5	0 Widow,	New Brunswick,	Joseph and Esther,	Pneumonia.
	19 Susan A. Dutton,	30	3	21 Single,	Jacksonville, Ill.,	Charles and Mary E.,	Suicide.
	26 Harriet I. Sherman,	5	0	0 Single,	Wakefield,	John and Mary A.,	Typhoid pneumonia.
	27 Timothy O'Connell,	49	11	7 Married,	Ireland,	Timothy & Catherine,	Invag. of intestines.
	31 Charles F. Davenport, Jr.,	0	7	28 Single,	Wakefield,	Charles F. & Marie A.,	Abscess in bron. tubes.
Feb.	2 Daniel J. O'Connell,	22	10	5 Single,	Wakefield.	Timothy and Mary,	Pulmo. tuberculosis.
	3 Isaac Heath,	53	11	24 Married.	W. Sumner, Me.,	Isaac and Belinda,	Disease of heart.
	9 Mabel M. Watts.	0	3	9 Single,	Wakefield,	John and Georgianna,	Inauition.
	9 John Alexander.	78	0	0 Wid'r.	Robinstown, Me.	John and Ann,	Suicide.
	11 Eveline Squire,	80	2	11 Single,	Wethersfield, Vt.	Reuben and Sally,	Cerebral apoplexy.
	14 Maria Burns,	19	4	4 Single,	Newfoundland,	Thomas and Jemima,	Congestion of brain.
	19 Joseph T. Burdett,	72	6	2 Married,	Wakefield.	Joseph and Dolly,	Inflamma. of bladder.
	21 Effie E. Oliver (Sharp),	29	1	22 Married,	Ft. Fairfield, Me.,	James J. and Rose A.,	Consumption.
	26 Florence Welch,	0	6	18 Single.	Wakefield.	Thomas J. and Julia,	Broncho pneumonia.
	4 Rose Jaquith,	0	0	3 Single.	Wakefield.	Harry and Rose,	Immaturity.
Mar.	7 Theresa Phelan,	12	2	16 Single,	Boston.	Thomas and Johanna,	Tubercular meningitis.
	8 Emma Murphy (Hamel),	24	9	12 Married,	Canada,	Alexander & Ovilda,	Phthisis pulmonalis.
	13 Mary A. Foster, (Coward),	63	10	26 Married,	Lunenburg.	William & Lydia A.,	Bronchitis.
	13 Ralph E. Woodward,	83	0	9 Married,	Wakefield,	Thomas and Rebecca,	Pneumonia.
	18 Levina Sparks.	36	10	18 Widow,	Newfoundland,	James and Mary A.,	Septicæmia.

22	Eliza L. Parker.	68	11	0	Married.	Wakefield.	John and Mary,	Capillary bronchitis.
24	Leroy B. Wellington.	0	3	24	Single.	Wakefield.	Fredric and Gertrude,	Meningitis.
30	Howard E. Miller.	1	5	11	Single.	North Reading.	J. W. and Lena U.,	Convulsions.
31	Zachariah E. McFadden,	63	5	23	Married.	Georgetown, Me.,	James and Martha,	Paralysis.
2	Ellen T. Low (Maloney).	47	0	0	Married.		John and Johanna,	Tuberculosis.
3	James Barry,	16	9	0	Single.	Wakefield.	William and Julia,	Congestion of brain.
5	Ida D. Francis (Griffin).	41	6	0	Married.	Millbridge, Me.,	Benjamin & Unknown	Unknown.
6	Mary F. Doucette.	0	2	7	Single.	Wakefield.	John and Annie,	Infantion.
8	Arthur F. Doyle,	0	0	0	Single.	Wakefield.	Park F. & Marg't T.,	Still birth.
9	Anna E. McCarthy,	0	7	28	Single.	Wakefield.	James and Mary,	Cholera infantum.
9	George W. Stoddard.	56	10	9	Married.	Wakefield.	Farnham & Emily O.,	Pneumonia.
10	Emma Giles,	42	10	25	Married.	St. John, N. B.,	John and Jane,	Uterine cancer.
12	Horatio P. Flower,	63	8	20	Married.	Madison, Me.,	Elbr. G. & Deborah,	Acute meningitis.
12	Robert S. Hill, Jr.,	6	6	3	Single.	Boston,	Robert S. & Cath. W.,	Inflam. of bowels.
14	Epes Butler,	77	6	15	Wid'r.	Amisquam,	Epes and Elizabeth,	Disease of liver.
15	Cynthia A. Glidden (Field).	72	9	29	Widow.	Brewer, Me.,	Russell and Abigail,	Apoplexy.
16	Margaret Murphy (O'Connell).	60	0	0	Widow.	Ireland.	Charles and Julia,	Chronic bronchitis.
17	James Finnegan,	9	9	0	Single.	New York.	Michael and Johanna,	Scarlet fever.
18	Clements.	0	0	0	Single.	Wakefield.	John G. & Elizabeth,	Still birth.
27	Catherine Conway (Burns),	72	0	0	Married.	Ireland.	Unknown,	Tumor.
28	Thomas J. Keogh.	53	0	14	Married.	Boston.	Peter and Sarah,	Enlargement of liver.
30	Ryland.	0	0	0	Single.	Wakefield.	S. J. and Mary C.,	Still birth.
4	Irving Gloyd,	0	0	27	Single.	Boston,	Irving R. & Alice M.,	Thrush.
14	James M. Wiley.	65	11	25	Wid'r.	Wakefield.	Ira and Lucetta,	Disease of liver.
18	James E. Emerson,	75	5	25	Wid'r.	Wakefield.	James and Lois,	Old age.
24	Abraham Gould.	80	7	9	Married.	Wakefield.	William and Sally,	Paretic epilepsy.
28	Andrew Barnes.	0	0	13	Single.	Unknown,	Unknown,	Acute meningitis.
2	Harold A. Perkins.	6	3	19	Single.	Ipswich.	George A. & Mary E.,	Scarlet fever.
6	Issachar Stowell.	63	4	19	Wid'r.	Wakefield.	Issachar and Louisa,	Apoplexy.
18	Alecta Weston, (Chenev),	89	11	18	Widow.	Reading.	Jacob and Nancy,	Ossification of heart.
18	Stone,	0	0	0	Single.	Wakefield.	George W. & Eliza E.,	Still birth.
19	Jeremiah Lafave,	40	8	0	Married.	Nova Scotia.	Raymond and Mary,	Peritonitis.
19	Hunt,	0	0	0	Single.	Wakefield.	Lafayette & Grace L.,	Still birth.
25	McLoughlin,	0	0	0	Single.	Wakefield.	Patrick and Bridget,	Still birth.
26	Margaret Smith (Lyons).	78	0	0	Widow.	Ireland.	John and Unknown.	Heart disease.

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Date.	Name of Deceased.	Age.		Condition.	Birthplace.	Names of Parents.	Cause of Death.
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June	28 James H. Frost,	2	9 28	Single,	Wakefield,	Daniel and Rose A.,	Scarlet fever.
	28 Patrick O'Connor,	76	0 0	Married,	Ireland.	Charles and Mary,	Diabetes mellitus.
	29 Rose M. Gaffey (Morgan),	65	0 0	Widow,	Ireland,	Thomas and Bridget,	Cerebral apoplexy.
July	2 Annie M. Cavinaro (Rice),	42	0 0	Married,	Angusta, Me.,	Michael & Catherine,	Endocarditis.
	5 John P. Dingle,	1	9 11	Single,	Wakefield,	James and Jane,	Convulsions.
	7 Addie M. Ryder,	3	7 0	Single,	Wakefield,	Chas. H. and Annie,	Syn. from diphtheria
	8 Helen C. Hanscom,	0	8 6	Single,	Wakefield,	Chas. E. & Annie M.,	Meningitis.
	14 Susan J. Batchford (Brooks),	68	0 0	Widow,	Weymouth, N.S.,	Peter and Susan,	Disease of heart.
	15 Eliza McTague (Morgan),	68	5 0	Widow,	Ireland,	James and Eliza,	Consumption.
	16 Catherine Welch,	8	10 0	Single,	Wakefield,	Thomas & Catherine,	Burial.
	18 Mary E. Barrett (Cox),	29	3 13	Married,	Wakefield,	Timothy & Mary E.,	Bright's disease.
	21 May B. Kelley,	24	2 7	Single,	Rochester, N. Y.,	How'd L. & Frances A.,	Consumption.
	25 Mary J. O'Connor,	37	7 0	Single,	England,	Lawrence and Mary,	Phthisis pulmonalis
Aug.	27 James P. Kelley,	25	6 19	Single,	Wakefield,	Frank and Mary,	Marasmus.
	28 Marion E. Lenoir,	0	2 10	Single,	Wakefield,	Fred J. & Arthuisse,	Meningitis.
	31 John A. Kimball,	68	0 0	Married,	Boston,	John & Catherine,	Asphyxia.
	1 Eugenie Moody,	22	0 0	Single,	Nova Scotia,	William & Unknown,	Diphtheria.
	1 Jonathan C. Richardson,	80	3 21	Wid'r,	Medford,	Jonathan & Unknown,	Disease of heart.
	3 Mary Muse,	0	5 0	Single,	Wakefield.	Reuben & Margaret,	Cholera infantum.
	4 Damaris P. Hill (Flint),	90	0 0	Widow,	Fitchburg,	Sylv'r P. & Damaris,	Apoplexy.
	5 Mary McKeon,	85	8 0	Single,	Portland,	John and Abigail,	Apoplexy.
	5 John T. Sheehy,	0	2 24	Single,	Wakefield,	Daniel and Hannah,	Cholera infantum
	9 Ray W. Hobart,	0	7 25	Single,	Wakefield,	Elmer W. & Nellie M.,	Meningitis.
	18 William R. Mansfield,	28	9 6	Married,	Wakefield,	Benj. & Frances A.,	Phthisis acute.
	19 Dennis Dacey,	80	0 0	Married,	Ireland,	Patrick & Elizabeth,	Pneumonia.
	19 Betsey Dager (Pilling),	71	0 26	Married,	England,	Jonathan & Martha A.,	Senile heart.
23	Nancy Joy (Shurtleff),	81	2 28	Widow,	Benson, Vt.,	John & Nancy,	Cancer.
	Mary Bannon.	0	4 23	Single,	Wakefield,	John H. & Mary J.,	Meningitis.
	Francis McCormick,	51	3 19	Married,	Ireland,	Thomas and Mary,	Phthisis.

23	Hiram B. Flagg,	79	5	9	Wid'r,	Danvers,	Ephraim and Betsey,	Cystitis.
24	Nellie A. Currier,	31	7	10	Single,	Wakefield,	Horace P. and Ellen,	Typhoid fever.
26	Alice M. Mitchell.	0	0	5	Single,	Wakefield,	Michael and Norah,	Immaturity.
27	Ethel E. Sullivan.	0	10	25	Single,	Wakefield,	Jeremiah & Honora,	Cholera infantum.
27	Ruth Belmore,	0	9	17	Single,	Wakefield,	Ernest M. & Maud,	Meningitis.
29	Gertrude C. Green,	0	1	2	Single,	Wakefield,	Stillman J. & Cath. G.	Diarrhoea.
1	Maria Whittier (Irving),	95	6	7	Widow,	Burlington, Vt.,	William and Anna,	Old age.
3	Catherine B. Kelley,	0	6	13	Single,	Wakefield,	Michael S. & Sarah E.,	Enterocolitis.
7	Mary Wolcott (Wigham).	87	6	15	Widow,	Washington, Me.,	Isaac and Sally,	Old age.
9	Florence Mansfield,	0	9	13	Single,	Wakefield,	Austin L. & Hattie M.,	Meningitis.
9	Emil C. Nelson,	21	4	8	Single,	Portland, Me.,	John and Nellie,	Consumption.
10	Roland L. White,	0	11	15	Single,	Wakefield,	Roland L. & Angelina,	Diphtheria.
10	Purrington,	0	0	0	Single,	Wakefield,	Elwin I. & Gertrude N.	Still birth.
10	Gertrude N. Purrington (Chad-	29	1	12	Married,	Pittsburg, N. H.,	Daniel N. & Melinda,	Acute albuminaria.
11	Alice M. Hamilton,	0	4	11	Single,	Wakefield,	John H. & Bessie E.,	Meningitis.
12	Michael McCarthy,	60	0	0	Married,	Ireland,	John M. & Catherine,	Heart disease.
13	Georgiana Raney,	2	10	28	Single,	West Somerville,	George A. & Minnie,	Diphtheria.
14	Harry M. Jeffrey,	2	9	6	Single,	Wakefield,	Chas. R. & Frances A.,	Diphtheria laryngeal.
15	Sarah L. Young (Millbury),	39	5	0	Married,	Nova Scotia,	Stephen and Mary,	Tuberculosis.
17	Emma E. Hanwright,	0	3	4	Single,	Wakefield,	Edw. A. & Mary E.,	Meningitis.
17	Arthur J. Kendall,	21	9	15	Single,	Wakefield,	Geo. W. & Maria M.,	Typhoid.
18	Winnifred E. Marshall,	1	8	0	Single,	Wakefield,	William H. & Ellen,	Accidental poisoning.
23	Elizabeth M. Perry (Smith),	66	0	11	Married,	Foxborough.	Warren and Sybil,	Valvular dis. of heart.
23	Matilda Mellett (Elen),	58	1	23	Married,	England,	Thomas and Mary,	Heart disease.
24	Lillian C. Jones (Stone),	23	8	6	Married,	Reading,	John H. & Caroline,	Valvular dis. of heart.
28	Francis Williams,	75	2	29	Married,	Boston,	Francis and Hannah,	Softening of brain.
29	Welbert L. Harding,	29	6	0	Married,	Lewiston, Me.,	Nathan and Susie,	Heart disease.
30	Caroline Hutchinson.	72	0	11	Married,	Nova Scotia,	James and Lydia,	Strangulated hernia.
30	George H. Wiley,	86	0	11	Wid'r,	Amherst, N. H.,	Robert C. and Mary,	Old age.
5	Philip Nelson,	19	8	4	Single,	Portland, Me.,	John and Nellie,	Acute phthisis.
6	John O'Connell,	75	0	0	Married,	Ireland,	Charles and Julia,	Cancer.
6	Minnie F. Deveau,	0	9	16	Single,	Wakefield,	John R. & Madeline,	Meningitis.
9	Sarah A. Shaw (Gale).	89	4	1	Widow,	Salem,	George and Johanna,	Apoplexy.
14	Frank H. Litchfield,	0	0	3	0	Wakefield,	Edgar A. and Lillian,	Marasmus.
15	Ida B. Deuham (Hackett),	39	4	0	Married,	Concord, N. H.,	Ephraim & Margaret,	Meningitis.

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Date.	Name of Deceased.	Age, y. m. d.	Condition.	Birthplace.	Names of Parents.	Cause of Death.
Oct.	Benner,	0	0 Single.	Wakefield.	Thomas & Etta M.	Still birth.
18	Lizzie A. Brown (Nickerson),	41	3 18 Married.	Wakefield.	Franklin & Sarah E.	La grippe.
19	John A. Sanborn,	73	3 2 Married.	Charlestown.	John and Deborah.	Heart disease.
23	Sarah E. Flockton,	51	4 11 Single.	England.	Benj. A. & Hannah M.	Apoplexy.
29	Marie N. Peasley,	0	4 3 Single.	South Boston.	Isaac J. & Delia A.	Consumption.
Nov.	David M. Eaton,	51	0 10 Married.	Wakefield.	Noah and Hannah.	Titanus.
2	Mary A. Christian,	0	5 27 Single.	Boston.	Joseph and Sarah.	Intestinal hemorrhage.
3	Julia O'Connor (Haggerty).	73	0 0 Widow.	Ireland.	John and Julia.	Syncope.
7	Henry White,	1	8 0 Single.	Wakefield.	John and Mary.	Convulsions.
8	Otto H. Ehrensman,	7	4 8 Single.	Toronto, Ont.	Herman O. & Eliza Th.	Diphtheria.
9	Henry B. Ruggles,	84	4 0 Married.	Rutland, Vt.	John and Eunice.	Cerebral apoplexy.
9	Alena G. Fessenden,	38	0 25 Married.	Gardiner.	Edson D. and Mary.	Puerperal eclampsia.
12	Irvin R. Gray,	1	1 0 Single.	Wakefield.	William & Silphel.	Consumption.
13	Henry,	0	0 0 Single.	Wakefield.	John and Annie.	Still birth.
14	John Lemman,	74	7 5 Married.	Dayton, O.	John and Sally.	Pneumonia.
16	Margaret T. O'Hara,	22	7 24 Single.	Tamton.	Charles & Margaret.	Phthisis.
19	Katherine O'Donnell,	1	2 19 Single.	Wakefield.	John and Margaret.	Meningitis.
21	Grace E. Doucette,	1	8 22 Single.	Wakefield.	Jere. and Jennie E.	Consumption.
21	Almira P. Knight (Perley),	70	4 16 Married.	Topsfield.	Frederick & Almira P.	Apoplexy.
26	Mary Breh (Quinlin),	70	0 0 Widow.	Ireland.	Dennis & Unknow.	Cerebral hemorrhage.
27	Hazel G. Heath,	1	5 13 Single.	Wakefield.	Adelb't F. & Marg't M.	Membranous croup.
27	Myra M. Kendall (Wade),	66	7 19 Married.	St Davids, N. B.	Loring and Sarah.	Disease of liver.
4	Angeline Purrington (Jones),	68	4 27 Widow.	Norridgewick, Me	Stephen and Sarah.	Pneumonia.
9	Albert E. Scderquest, Jr.,	0	3 3 Single.	Wakefield.	Albert E. & Virginia.	Spina bifida.
17	George E. Ganage,	65	10 7 Wid'r.	Boston.	John and Hannah.	Pneumonia.
22	Olive M. Evans (Staples),	60	4 16 Married.	Saugus.	John and Mary.	Pyelo nephritis.
26	Caroline F. Wellman (Town- [send]),	57	7 24 Married.	Boston.	John and Jane.	Consumption.

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Date.	Name of Child.	Sex.	Names of Parents.	Occupation of Father.
Jan.	4 Helen Irene McNamara,	Female,	John and Nora E. (O'Brien),	Railroad brakeman.
	5 Alice Cecelia McNamara,	Female,	John H. and Catherine (Tusk),	Carpenter.
	6 Ethel Maude Husson,	Female,	Daniel and Nora (Looney),	Rattan worker.
	10 John Joseph Sullivan,	Male,	Michael J. and Mary L. (Mahan),	Rattan worker.
	11 Irene Gentle Hall,	Female,	Henry L. and Ethel (Reed),	Clerk.
	14 Paul Moore Wyatt,	Male,	Benjamin A. and Fannie (Moore),	Engineer.
	19 McIntire,	Female,	Walter J. and Ida M. (Clark),	Shoemaker.
	20 Guillow,	Male,	Nicola M. and Susie O. (Perkins),	Designer.
	22 Agnes Marguerite Regan,	Female,	John H. and Julia (Coakley),	Moulder.
	27 Doris Helen Cartland,	Female,	Will H. and Helen E. (Hobbs),	Salesman.
	28 Clifford Carmichael Hann,	Male,	Lyman B. and Hattie R. (Carmichael),	Agent.
	29 Grace Estella Hanwright,	Female,	George F. and Mary E. (Murphy),	Moulder.
	29 James Edward Talbot,	Male,	John and Mary (Hagerty),	Laborer.
	30 James Harold Molenson,	Male,	Philip and Mary (Collette),	Laborer.
	30 Ruth Gladys Austin,	Female,	John W. and Hattie L. (Hawes),	Salesman.
	1 George Herman Mohla,	Male,	Herman and Lizzie (Lingardnes),	Reed worker.
	1 Patterson,	Male,	Ralph J. and Emma E. (Counce),	Engineer.
	7 Alfred Eugene Kenrick,	Male,	Alfred W. and Etta G. (Small),	Motorman.
	7 Comforte,	Female,	Hemel and Olympia (Gnado),	Shoe maker.
	10 Bertha Hazel McIntosh,	Female,	George P. and Margaret (McLaren),	Blacksmith.
	10 Mansfield,	Female,	William R. and Theresa (Poole),	Salesman.
	10 Buras,	Male,	James and Mary (Chamberlain),	Plasterer.
	10 Marie Williameno,	Female,	Leonard W. and Hilda (Larson),	Rattan worker.
	10 Arthur Woods,	Male,	William H. and Catherine (McNeil),	Carpenter.
	15 Anson Earl Bucklin,	Male,	Fred A. and Hattie B. (Underhood),	Picture framer.
	16 Hiram Douglas Card,	Male,	Stiles C. and Amelia E. (Campbell),	Moulder.
	16 Ethel Elizabeth Lillie,	Female,	Mark and Clara (Crimmings),	Switchman.
	19 Agnes McFadden,	Female,	James A. and Ellen (Coleman),	Police officer.
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Feb. 19	Frederick Welch,	Male,	Thomas and Elizabeth (Madden),	Chair maker.
21	Catherine Veronica Kelley,	Female,	Michael J. and Sarah E. (Maguire),	Rattan worker.
22		Female,	Unknown and Maggie Doucette,	
26	John Upton,	Male,	Edgar W. and Sarah P. (King),	Electrician.
27	Hutchinson,	Male,	Frank and Unknown,	Clerk.
Mch. 3	Pauline B. Taft,	Female,	William W. and Jennie M. (Britton),	Clerk.
6	Christine Margaret Regan,	Female,	Dennis F. and Mary A. (Jack),	Rattan worker.
6	Alice M. Killorin	Female,	Thomas H. & Susan E. (McGreaney),	Furniture dealer.
8	Annie Bella Mackay,	Female,	John D. and Fannie B. (Brymer),	Builder.
9	Grace Morrill Duffill,	Female,	Albert E. and Amy (Perrins),	Bank clerk.
13	James Grover Brown,	Male,	Charles H. & Margaret E. (Hopkins),	Rattan worker.
17	Susan Myrtle Webber,	Female,	Albert and Helen (Spinney),	Carpenter.
20	Grace Helene Cooney,	Female,	Joseph E. and Agatha (McCarty),	Brass moulder.
20	Francis Gertrude Shanahan,	Female,	Thomas F. and Fannie (Mander),	Chair maker.
23	Rose Jaquith,	Female,	Harry and Rose (Doucette),	Laborer.
23	Nora Curran,	Female,	Michael and Mary (Benson),	Laborer.
24	Evelyn Wendall Horton,	Female,	William G. and Annie E. (Wendall),	Motorman.
24	Alice Harriett Morrison,	Female,	Elmer E. and Etta M. (Evans),	Lather.
26	Catherine Frances Sullivan,	Female,	Patrick and Mary (Reddington),	Rubber worker.
27	James Goldsmith Walters,	Male,	William D. and Mary E. (Keefe),	Carrier.
30	Bannon,	Female,	John H. and Amelia J. (Eisliger),	Teamster.
31	Joseph Francis Kirk,	Male,	Lawrence H. and Mary E. (McLaugh-	Grain dealer.
April 2	Francis Edmond White,	Male,	Sylvine and Monie (Surrette), [lin],	Rattan worker.
5	Alfred Roger Vint,	Male,	Alfred W. and Bertha (Jackson),	Stenographer.
5	James Archibald Singer,	Male,	James A. and Annie (Caupbell),	Laborer.
10	John Kimball Phipps,	Male,	George W. and Ada M. (Kimball),	Piano tuner.
10	Thomas Christopher Murray,	Male,	John and Margaret (Finn),	Rubber shoemaker.
11	Edward Kane,	Male,	John H. and Amelia (McLaren),	Peddler.
13	Joseph Frederick White.	Male,	Alfred and Lizzie (Robbins),	Rattan winder.

14 Francis Hennessey,	Male,	Patrick and Winifred (Muldoon),	Laborer.
14 Eleanor Wilder Bartlett,	Female,	Nathaniel E. and Annie M. (Poole),	Book seller.
17 Roger Herschel Murdock,	Male,	Charles and Jennie (Anderson),	Carpenter.
21 Catherine Gould Walton,	Female,	Arthur G. and Mary E. (Bartlett),	Shoe manufacturer.
23 George Donegan,	Male,	William and Kate (Keleher),	Rattan worker.
24 Mary Balmain Joe,	Female,	David and Mary A. (Balmah),	Engineer.
25 John Lyons,	Male,	Dennis and Mary M. (Sullivan),	Merchant.
25 Lillia Severence,	Female,	Walter M. and Harriet (Chadsey),	Teamster.
25 Hamilton,	Female,	John H. and Bessie E. (Courad),	Painter.
26 Philip Clifton Pearson,	Male,	J. Clifton and Lydia F. (Wright),	Nail manufacturer.
30 Stephano Vattses,	Male,	Stephen and Calliope (Vlastos),	Minister.
1 Mary Curley,	Female,	James F. and Annie E. (Keefe),	Brass finisher.
1 William Thomas McKeon,	Male,	Patrick H. and Mary (Reynolds),	Laborer.
5 Helen Gordon Spurr,	Female,	Russell and Anna M. (Stuart),	Book keeper.
11 Lila Belle Hines,	Female,	John H. and Jennie H. (Grimes),	Carpenter.
12 Jonathan Stanley Buxton,	Male,	J. Frank and Elizabeth (Calverley),	Shoemaker.
12 John Thomas Sheehy,	Male,	Daniel and Hannah (Brasnahan),	Laborer.
13 Henry George Bolton,	Male,	Richard and Mary A. (Bateman),	Teamster.
14 Maurice Donovan,	Male,	Thomas and Minnie (Dinan),	Rattan worker.
18 Marion Elizabeth Levoir,	Female,	Frederick J. & Archemise (Decoster),	Sign painter.
27 Herman Ernest Diehlman,	Male,	Otto and Liza (Garside),	Rattan worker.
28 Carl Hiram Woodis,	Male,	Hiram and Lydia (Sherbouney),	Rattan worker.
31 Harold Dutton Flanders,	Male,	Wilbur H. and Sarah H. (Severance),	Stock fitter.
4 Mary Elizabeth Gates,	Female,	Anos and Nora (Millerick),	Rattan worker.
9 Joseph Waldo Bishop,	Male,	J. Mortimer & Grace M. (Shanahan),	Rattan worker.
9 Cecil Frederick Russell,	Male,	Frederick G. and Alice R. (Colby),	Teamster.
11 James Robert Hinton,	Male,	James and Julia (Hourihan),	Laborer.
12 Hanwright,	Female,	Edward A. and Mary E. (Ayer),	Brass finisher.
13 Marion Kenney,	Female,	Henry M. and Mary A. (Donnelly),	Polisher.
14 Elizabeth Mary Doucelte,	Female,	Joseph O. and Mary (Doucette),	Laborer.
16 Deveau,	Female,	Raymond and Annie (Deveau),	Rattan worker.
16 John Thomas Burns,	Male,	Patrick and Kate (Hart),	Plasterer.
16 Joseph Palmer,	Male,	Thomas and Mary (Foley),	Laborer.
16 Catherine Ayscough,	Female,	Henry C. and Ella T. (Devlin),	Expressman.
16 Margaret May Burrage,	Female,	George and Agnes (Doucette),	Laborer.

May

June

Births Registered in the Town of Wakefield during the Year 1897—Continued.

Date.	Name of Child.	Sex.	Names of Parents.	Occupation of Father.
June	24 Mary Doucette.	Female.	Jeff. and Matilda (Doucette).	Laborer.
	24 Joseph Oliver, Jr.,	Male.	Joseph and Phoebe (Oliver).	Laborer.
	25 Esther Lofstrom.	Female.	Gas and Wilhemina (Brown).	Painter.
	28 Alfred Ernest Hiatt.	Male.	Frederick W. and Elizabeth (Harper).	Book-keeper.
July	30 Sheldon.	Female.	George O. and Esther F. (Emmons).	Clerk.
	6 Clara Welch Taylor.	Female.	Charles E. and Genevieve (Colbath).	Painter.
	6 Ropes.	Female.	William B. and Emma L. (Williams).	Book seller.
	7 Joseph Florence Robbins.	Male.	Jeffery and Minnie (Brown).	Tinsmith.
	9 Mary Jane Hubbard.	Female.	Monday and Addie (Robicheau).	Laborer.
	9 Addie Elizabeth Dingle.	Female.	James and Jane M. (Hubbard).	Laborer.
	14 Elizabeth Julia Maloney.	Female.	Richard and Catherine (Welch).	Laborer.
	14 Edward Scanlon.	Male.	William and Maggie (Veale).	Laborer.
	14 Robert Parker Dolbeare.	Male.	Harris M. and Emma B. (Skinner).	Ass't editor.
	15 Helen Christine Preston.	Female.	Joseph and Mary (McDonald).	Shoemaker.
	16 Marjorie Helena Gray.	Female.	James M. and Edith M. (Seeds).	Motorman.
	17 Edward Daniel Muse.	Male.	Alfred R. and Nellie (Muse).	Laborer.
	18 Joseph Arthur Nickerson.	Male.	Windsor O. and Mary (Cotton).	Clerk.
	19 Nils Oscar Johnson.	Male.	Otto and Christine (Anderson).	Painter.
	19 Caroline Marguerite Reardon.	Female.	Michael and Caroline (Elsiger).	Salesman.
	22 Jessie Irene Rogers.	Female.	Ernest C. and Isabel G. (Henry).	Laborer.
	23 Frederick Payne Sharp.	Male.	Frederick and Vina (La Point).	Conductor.
	24 Helen Cecilia Walsh.	Female.	John and Mary (Collins).	Laborer.
	26 Claire Dunham.	Female.	Samuel G. and Susie (Dunham).	Clergyman.
	26 Thomas McGrath.	Male.	Thomas and Mary (Hopkins).	Rattan worker.
	27 Gertrude Catherine Green.	Female.	Stillman J. and Kate G. (Welch).	Shoemaker.
	30 James Melonson.	Male.	Philip and Mary (Collett).	Fireman.
	31 Martha Dugan.	Female.	Stephen and Catherine (Gibbons).	Painter.
Aug.	1 Elsie Adolphine Anderson.	Female.	John and Matilda (Widell).	Rattan worker.
	2 Lawrence McAdams.	Male.	G. W. and Mary (Walsh).	Painter.

2	James Huston.	Male.	Patrick and Mary (Crowley),	Rattan worker.
8	Harriett Evelyn Hagan.	Female.	William E. and Mary E. (Berry).	Electrician.
9	Walton,	Male.	Elias and Annie (O'Hara),	Teamster.
9	Agnes Johanna Hickel.	Female.	Charles and Unknown,	Rattan worker.
10	Barden,	Male.	Joseph and Annie (Lightbody),	Painter.
11	Marion Louise Mulliken.	Female.	A. E. and Annie L. (Fennessey),	Broker.
12	Blenkhorn,	Female.	Henry J. and Kate M. (McConnick),	Plumber.
12	Herbert Henry Lewis.	Male.	Herbert and Nellie (Desmond),	Rubber worker.
14	Dowling,	Male.	James and Mary (Sheehy),	Shoemaker.
15	Ernest Gilman Goldsmith,	Male.	Asa R. and Anna S. (Porter).	Laborer.
17	Emma White,	Female.	Jerome E. and Jennie (Muse),	Laborer.
20	Clara May Muse,	Female.	William J. and Ada (Doucette),	Iceman.
20	Richardson,	Female.	George M. and Elwine H. (Walking),	Broker.
22	Alice May Mitchell,	Female.	Michael J. and Nora (Carr),	Laborer.
22	Thomas Francis O'Keefe.	Male.	James and Annie (Gibbons),	Rattan worker.
23	William Henry Harrison.	Male.	Jesse E. and Charlotte (Feindel),	Carpenter.
25	Lillian Theresa Callan,	Female.	John and Mary (Gibbons),	Rattan worker.
26	Edmund Buckley,	Male.	Edmund J. and Margaret C. (Kenney),	Upholsterer.
29	Malcolm Carter Eaton.	Male.	Will E. and Mabel (Baker),	Real estate.
29	Ella Margaret O'Connor,	Female.	David J. and Charlotte (Hollis),	Clerk.
30	Daniel Babcock,	Male.		
2	Mary Esther Maguire,	Female.	Samuel & Catherine G. (McCormack),	Rattan worker.
5	Mary Edna Crimmins,	Female.	John and Mary (Lyons),	Laborer.
6	Albert Edward Sederquest,	Male.	Albert E. and Virginia L. (Tharp).	Teamster.
10	Annie Legrid Friberg.	Female.	Carl M. and Amanda (Blom),	Rattan worker.
12	Edmund Evans,	Male.	George H. and Margaret (Welch),	Conductor.
15	George Harold Moncrief,	Male.	George E. and Elizabeth (Muse),	Barber.
15	Irving Conrad Anderson.	Male.	Peter A. and Rosile (Swanson),	Piano finisher.
16	Ruth Dorothea Vlastos.	Female.	Lincoln and Jennie (Ross),	Machinist.
18	Dina Lucretia Froton,	Female.	Peter and Almira (Deadworth),	Shoemaker.
18	May Florence McMahan.	Female.	Michael J. and Ricker W. (Stohl),	Moulder.
20	Otto Gus Anderson,	Male.	Oscar and Sophia (Anderson).	Rattan worker.
20	Charles Malcolm Burke.	Male.	James W. and Mary (Flynn).	Engineer.
23	Walter Edward Ryan,	Male.	Herbert and Victoria (Burke),	Rattan worker.
30	Ingrid Henslin,	Female.	Felix B. and Sofie (Bjorklund).	Clerk.

Sept.

Births Registered in the Town of Wakefield during the Year 1897—Continued.

Date.	Name of Child.	Sex.	Names of Parents.	Occupation of Father.
Oct.	3 Grace Viola Martin,	Female,	James and Margaret (Kelland),	Machinist.
	3 Florence Isabel Magee,	Female,	James and Mary J. (Ballentine),	Piano shipper.
	4 William Edward Murphy.	Male,	J. William and Agnes M. (Dow),	Salesman.
	5 Mabel Dorothea Stewart,	Female,	Alexander and Mina A. (Stohl),	Machinist.
	5 Joseph Heggery.	Male,	Joseph and Annie (Ribare),	Laborer.
	6 Martin Francis Roach.	Male,	Martin and Mary (Joyce),	Rattan worker.
	7 Elsie Amelia Sohlberg.	Female,	Carl E. and Frieda H. (Sohlberg),	Barber.
	9 Mary Emily Henstis,	Female,	George J. and Julia (O'Connell),	Brass finisher.
	10 Mary Veronica Kelley.	Female,	Jeremiah and Mary (Reardon),	Moulder.
	14 Patrick Walsh, Jr.,	Male,	Patrick and Elizabeth (O'Keefe),	Laborer.
	15 Mabel Karine Wiley.	Female,	William H. and Mabel W. (Newman),	Boat dealer.
	17 George Lane,	Male,	Maurice J. & Margaret H. (Scannell),	Piano finisher.
	18 Dorey.	Female,	Unknown and Minnie K. (Dorey),	
	22 Cavanaugh,	Male.	Calvin and Jennie E. (Hart),	Carpenter.
	23 Embert Leroy Hawkes.	Male,	Embert and Margaret (Duke),	Rattan worker.
	25 Simon Wallace Paon,	Male,	Thomas I. and Eugenie (Richards),	Rattan worker.
	26 Nellie May Halloran,	Female,	George H. and Rose (Surrette),	Painter.
	27 Gray Bidwell Brockbank,	Male,	Harvey G. and Anna (Bridge),	Carpenter.
	27 Lottie Landers.	Female,	William and Mary (Jones),	Laborer.
	28 Abbott,	Male,	Leaman C. and Ida M. (Sears),	Architect.
	28 William David Graham.	Male,	William J. and Minerva A. (Harrow),	Wood worker.
Nov.	31 John William Hayes,	Male,	George J. and Amanda J. (Johnson),	Salesman.
	2 Margaret Mullen,	Female,	Dennis and Kate (McCarthy),	Laborer.
	4 Catherine Foley,	Female,	John and Roxanna (Woodis),	Rattan worker.
	5 Mabel Endora Tapper,	Female,	Frank O. and Manilla (Anderson),	Shoemaker.
	5 Mary Julia White,	Female,	John and Mary M. (Deveau),	Laborer.
	6 Robert Gay Philbrook,	Male,	D. Herbert and Thersea A. (Larabee),	Wood worker.
	6 Ernest Emerson Fairbanks.	Male,	John B. and Grace W. (Ballard),	Letter carrier.
	8 Elizabeth Francis Waterman,	Female,	Charles and Margaret (Murray),	Brakeman.

8	Paul Herst Heywood.	Male,	Ernest and Daisy M. (Phinney).	Letter carrier.
8	Olive McCleary,	Female,	Henry J. and Catherine F. (Crozier),	Printer.
8	Fessenden,	Female,	Albert and Alena (Gaylord),	Insurance agent
8	Addie Louise Smith,	Female,	William H. and Rose (Lafare),	Stone layer,
8	Maggie Maurice Burrage,	Female,	George and Agnes (Doucette),	Mason.
10	Esther Marion Bailey,	Female,	L. Edward and Bertha A. (Bailey),	Salesman.
13	William Chadborn Hall,	Male,	Charles D. and Kate (McDonald),	Teamster.
16	Minnie Arvilla Whitney.	Female,	George A. & Minnieville (Woodward),	Moulder.
18	John Alva Barrett,	Male,	John and Isabelle (Campbell),	Machinist.
19	Clarence Mellen Dow,	Male,	George and Clara F. (Gould),	Stablekeeper.
21	Bertha Hawes,	Female,	Arthur L. and Bertha (Horton),	Engraver.
22	Dorothy Woodside Segerson.	Female,	John F. and Ella M. (Woodside),	Shoe trimmer.
22	Arthur Esner,	Male,	Morse A. and Esther (Kaufman),	Merchant.
25	Thomas Edward Murphy,	Male,	William J. and Julia T. (Kalaber),	Laborer.
25	Harold Ernest Mortimer,	Male,	Ernest and Emma (Readmond),	Conductor.
26	Stevens,	Female,	Charles W. and Alice M. (Atkins),	Insurance agent.
27	Hazel Grace Heath,	Female,	Adelbert F. & Margaret M. (Robinson),	Carpenter.
29	Frank Reid,	Male,	John G. and Carrie L. (Knight),	Prov. dealer.
2	Catherine Cronin Lenners,	Female,	Eugene and Annie (McAniffie).	Bootmaker.
2	Wallace Reginald Smith,	Male,	Wallace and Alice M. (Smith),	Driver.
3	Ashenden,	Female,	Thomas E. and Harriett E. (Evans),	Compositor.
6	Catherine Connell,	Female,	Joseph H. and Mary (O'Brien),	Teamster.
7	Richards,	Female,	Everett B. and Annie L. (Smith),	Farmer.
11		Male,	William S. and Gertrude A. (Dunham),	Jeweler.
12	Bears,	Female,	Albert E. and Diana H. (Curtis),	Carpenter.
16	Frank Edward McIntire,	Male,	Frank N. and Catherine (Duffey),	Brass finisher.
17	Catherine Anne Doucette,	Female,	William F. and Annie (Dowd),	Carpenter.
18	Raymond Cassidy,	Male,	Henry L. and Mary A. (Mullen),	Tea dealer.
24	William Lawrence Hatfield,	Male,	John and Annie (Muse),	Moulder.
24	Swanson,	Male,	August and Elizabeth A. (Andersen),	Upholsterer.
28	Antonio de Cecca,	Male,	Angelo and Jessie (Capitello),	Fruit dealer.
28	Mildred Lessie Newhall,	Female,	T. Arthur and Lillian M. (Shepard),	Salesman.
31	Chester Harvey Whidden,	Male,	David and Margaret (Hobin),	Carpenter.
31	Agnes Delia Doucette,	Female,	James A. and Betsey E. (Smith),	Laborer.

Dec.

RECAPITULATION.

Births registered in 1897,						221
Males,					109	
Females,					112	221
Nativity of Parents.						Fathers. Mothers.
Wakefield,					25	21
United States,					68	72
British Provinces,					61	60
Ireland,					33	38
Sweden,					11	15
England,					7	6
Germany,					3	2
Italy,					2	2
Austria,					2	1
Russia,					1	1
Turkey,					1	1
Norway,					1	0
Greece,					1	0
Scotland,					1	0
Unknown.					4	2
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						221 221
Marriages registered in 1897,						84
Nativity.						Grooms. Brides.
Wakefield,					9	14
United States,					48	35
British Provinces,					16	22
Sweden,					3	3
Ireland,					2	4
England,					2	2
Germany,					2	0
Armenia,					1	1
Italy,					1	0
West Indies,					0	1
France,					0	1
Unknown.					0	1
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First marriage,	68	76
Second "	13	8
Third "	3	
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	Grooms.	Brides.
Number under 20 years of age,	2	15
" between 20 and 30,	46	45
" " 30 and 40,	22	16
" " 40 and 50,	10	6
" " 50 and 60,	4	2
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Deaths registered in 1897,	155
Males,	65
Females,	90
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Number under 5 years of age,	42
" between 5 and 10,	7
" " 10 and 20,	5
" " 20 and 30,	16
" " 30 and 40,	7
" " 40 and 50,	10
" " 50 and 60,	9
" " 60 and 70,	17
" " 70 and 80,	19
" " 80 and 90,	12
" " 90 and 100,	2
Still births,	9
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Average age 35 years, 4 months.

Nativity.										
Wakefield,	68
United States,	52
British Provinces,	14
Ireland,	13
England,	4
Sweden,	1
Unknown,	3
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										155

DOG LICENSES.

Number of dogs licensed in 1897,	303
Males,	275
Females,	28
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									303
Tax on 275 males at \$2,	\$550 00
Tax on 28 females at \$5,	140 00
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									\$690 00
Deduct clerk's fees,	60 60
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									\$629 40
Paid J. O. Hayden, county treasurer,	\$629 40

CHARLES F. HARTSHORNE,

Town Clerk.

COLLECTORS' STATEMENTS.

TAX OF 1895.

Uncollected balance, Jan. 30, 1897,	\$17,611 93	
Received as interest,	1,599 80	
	<hr/>	\$19,211 73
Paid Town Treasurer,	\$17,882 47	
Abated by Assessors,	1,329 26	
	<hr/>	<u>\$19,211 73</u>

TAX OF 1896.

Uncollected balance, Jan. 30, 1897,	\$39,053 42	
Re-assessed by Assessors,	1,266 50	
Received as interest,	2,082 35	
	<hr/>	\$42,402 27
Paid Town Treasurer,	\$37,982 07	
Abated by Assessors,	3,644 45	
	<hr/>	\$41,626 52
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		\$775 75

CHAS. F. WOODWARD, *Collector.*

TAX OF 1897.

Total amount assessed.	\$132,946 44	
Received as interest,	44 63	
	<hr/>	\$132,991 07
Paid Town Treasurer,	\$90,405 93	
Discount allowed,	1,697 90	
Abated by Assessors,	1,939 38	
	<hr/>	\$94,043 21
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Balance uncollected,		\$38,947 86

CHARLES E. WALTON, *Collector.*

WAKEFIELD, Jan. 31, 1898.

ENGINEERS' REPORT.

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SELECTMEN :

Gentlemen,—The Board of Engineers herewith present the following as their annual report of the fire department for the year ending Jan. 31, giving in detail the total number of fires and alarms to which the department has responded during the last year, with the loss and insurance as near as were possible to ascertain, together with such other information and suggestions as in our judgment at this time seems appropriate.

FORCE OF THE DEPARTMENT.

The number of officers and men in the department are as follows : One chief with two assistants, one steamer with twelve men, one hook and ladder with fifteen men, two hose companies with ten men each, making the total force of fifty men. There are besides these a volunteer company at Greenwood, East Ward and at the poor farm, who are always ready to respond in their immediate vicinity.

HOSE.

There is in the department 6,800 feet of hose, as follows : 2,700 in good condition, 3,100 in fair condition, 1,000 not reliable.

APPARATUS.

The several pieces of apparatus are in first-class condition, with the exception, perhaps, of the Carter Hose jumper. This piece of apparatus is wholly unfit for a hand hose reel. It is what was formerly the old Yale carriage attached to the old Yale hand engine. It is heavy, clumsy and awkward and never intended when made to be used as it is now. It has on several occasions injured several of its members by their being caught by the wheel

and run over. We are in hopes that before long the town will give us something more modern in place of the piece.

FIRE ALARM.

This very important branch of the town service has during the past year performed all that was required of it. Not in a single instance has it failed to respond whenever occasion required.

There are 21 boxes, 2 tower strikers, 1 whistle machine, 8 gongs, 1-4 circuit repeater with switch board, galvanometer, etc., together with about 23 miles of wire, with 82 cells of gravity battery. The usual amount of changes, repairs, alterations, etc., incidental to every fire alarm, has been made by the superintendent during the year. The total cost for the system has been somewhat larger this year than usual from the fact that several permanent improvements have been made that ordinarily would have to be met with some special appropriation. We have had the system equipped with the Cartwright electric protector, a device for the protection of the system from lightning, abnormal currents, etc. The old poles and line on Cordis street have all been taken down, the same having been condemned. A new line was put into the North ward by a loop on New Pleasant street from the corner of Salem street. The line is in good condition with the exception of that part on Lowell street, which is in poor condition. We believe that as the town grows it should make additions in the fire alarm boxes and recommend three: one at or near Byron, corner of Gould, another on Nahant street, near Birch Hill avenue, and one more at Greenwood on Oak street. We also renew our former recommendation for a whistle in the west part of the town, as it is almost impossible for members of the department or citizens to hear the present whistle, especially when the wind is unfavorable. The whistle could be with advantage located at the electric light station. The introduction of the storage battery for the fire alarm service is no longer an experiment and is universally being adopted. The cost for the supplies in our gravity battery now in use is about \$1.20 per cell yearly. The introduction of the storage system by the town would save about \$100 per year. It would pay for its introduction in about three years and

then would cost practically nothing afterward for its maintenance. We have no hesitancy in recommending its adoption.

HORSES.

We have on several previous occasions in our reports called the attention of the town to the unreliable conditions regarding the responding of the several pieces of apparatus drawn by horses.

The same conditions exist today and our report would be incomplete did we not again refer to it. It is neither desirable nor the intention of this board to advocate or recommend anything regarding increasing the present cost of this department unless the same in our judgment is absolutely necessary, but if there is any one thing more than another that in our judgment should receive favorable and immediate action it is the purchasing of horses for this department. It is not altogether the question of whether the town can afford them, but a question of whether the town can afford to be without them.

As an object lesson for the property owners to consider we will say that last year from Jan. 1, 1897, to Jan. 1, 1898, we had just 15 day alarms, that is, alarms that occurred during the day time, and at four of these alarms, or more than one fourth of them, there were no horses to draw the apparatus with. Fortunately no serious results have occurred as yet for the want of horses, but if the town continues in its present conditions it surely is only a matter of time when it will probably be a costly lesson.

The subject will probably be brought to the attention of the town at the annual town meeting and we are in hopes with favorable consideration by the town.

William B. Daniel, who has been the engineer of the steamer ever since its purchase by the town in 1882, resigned his position November 1, much to the regret of this board. Mr. Daniel was a very efficient and valuable member of the department and his resignation was accepted only by the unanimous regrets of the board.

ACCIDENTS.

Engineer Cade, at the fire on Feb. 21, was painfully burned on the right hand and was laid up for several weeks.

Mr. Logan, of the Carter hose company, was run over by his

hose carriage while responding to the alarm from box 14 on Sept. 19, and was laid up several days.

FIRES AND ALARMS.

The town has been remarkably fortunate during the past year by not having any serious fire. The following is the number of alarms and fires the department has responded to, together with their loss and insurance as near as was possible to ascertain.

Sunday, February 21, box 27, 1.55 p. m. Barn rear of No. 70 Elm street, owned by Mrs. Anna Hamilton. Loss, \$250. Insurance, \$150. Caused probably by smoking.

Wednesday, March 3, box 39, 4.15 p. m. Slight fire in house No. 11 Fitch court, owned by John Lyons. No loss. Caused by wood drying in stove.

Monday, March 8, box 12, 2.50 p. m. Hen house owned by H. H. Savage, Oak street. Loss, \$140. No insurance. Cause, incendiary.

Tuesday, March 30, box 46, 9.03 a. m. Slight fire on roof of house No. 69 Vernon street. Loss, small. Caused by sparks from chimney.

Thursday, April 1, box 9, 11.15 a. m. Woods fire, rear Newhall court.

Sunday, April 4, box 23, 4.30 p. m. Woods fire, off Broadway.

Sunday, April 25, box 12, 4.20 p. m. Woods fire, off Oak street.

Sunday, May 9, box 13, 1.02 p. m. Woods fire, off Spring street.

Thursday, July 15, box 23, 5.13 p. m. Slight fire in house No. 23 Lake street, owned by the Wakefield Building Association. Caused by clothes caught from stove. Loss, small.

Thursday, July 29, box 12, 8.17 a. m. Shed owned by Julia A. Colby, Myrtle avenue. Loss, small. Cause, unknown.

Monday, Sept. 6, box 37, 4.15 a. m. Dwelling house owned by John S. Newhall, Pearl street. Loss, \$500. Caused by gasoline explosion.

Friday, Sept. 17, box 25, 7.45 p. m. Burning of the Bare Brook house in Reading.

Sunday, Sept. 19, box 14, 2.40 a. m. Dwelling house owned by A. M. Stevens, on Woods farm, so called. Loss, \$4,000. Insurance, \$3,500. Cause, unknown.

Friday, October 1, box 13, 2.40 p. m. Woods fire at Boyntonville.

Saturday, November 13, box 36, 1.20 p. m. Soot in chimney in house of James Cavinaro, 18 Highland street. No loss.

Monday, January 17, box 35, 5.02 p. m. House owned by John Flanley, Avon street.

SUMMARY.

The following is in detail the amount of work performed by the department during the past year:

Number of alarms responded to,	16
Total number of feet of hose used,	5,850
Gallons of chemicals used,	33
Total ladders used,	55
Miles apparatus traveled,	49½
Hours of service rendered,	21½

The west part of the town is in the same condition as we reported last year, without any fire protection whatever. As this is one of the largest sections of the town and one in which the greater number of fires occur, it seems to us that they should be entitled to some fire protection, particularly since the erection during the past year of the Winship-Boit knitting factory. Another matter we desire to call the attention of the town to is the continuance as at present in not having some one at all times in or about the Central fire house, corner of Crescent and Mechanic streets. Here the largest part of the town's fire apparatus is housed. The steamer, hook and ladder, hose wagon, Carter hose, battery room and all the spare hose used by the department is in this large wooden building, right in the thickly settled part of the town with two boilers running night and day during the winter months and one boiler during the summer. If a fire should get once started without an early discovery, the town would probably

not only lose nearly all its fire protection, but it might be the means of making a serious fire in the centre of the town. The purchasing of horses by the town would of course remedy this; then we should be obliged to have some one permanently employed to care for the same.

CONCLUSION.

We take this opportunity to return to the Honorable Board of Selectmen our thanks for their hearty co-operation, to Chief Vannah and members of the police department for valuable services rendered, to Capt. Evans together with the Greenwood Hose Company for their valuable services rendered during the past year, all are deserving special mention, and to each officer and member throughout the department and to all others who have rendered us service we return our heartfelt thanks.

LEVI FLANDERS,
H. W. DALRYMPLE,
WM. E. CADE,

Engineers.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

To the Citizens of Wakefield:

I herewith present my report for the fiscal year ending February 1st, 1898.

TRUST FUNDS.

THE FLINT MEMORIAL FUND, \$1,000.

This fund was a gift to the town by the late Mrs. Harriet N. Flint, November 5th, 1872; the income thereon is to be expended in the purchase of books for the Beebe Town Library.

The fund is now invested in a note of the town of Wakefield (Armory Loan) dated August 1st, 1894, bearing interest at the rate of four per centum per annum, and matures December 1st, 1904.

The sum of \$40 as interest to February 1, 1898, has been credited to the library account.

DR. F. P. HURD LIBRARY FUND, \$2,500.

This fund was bequeathed to the town by the late Dr. F. P. Hurd for the benefit of the town library and is at present invested in a note of the Town of Wakefield (Temporary Loan) dated December 1st, 1897, and maturing one year from date.

The sum of \$100 as interest to December 1st, 1897, has been credited to the library account.

C. WAKEFIELD LIBRARY FUND, \$500.

This fund, bequeathed by the second Cyrus Wakefield, is for the benefit of the town library and is invested in the same manner as the Dr. Hurd fund and matures at the same time.

The sum of \$20 as interest to December 1st, 1897, has been credited to the library account.

JONATHAN NICHOLS TEMPERANCE FUND, \$1,000.

This fund was a gift to the town by the late Jonathan Nichols. The conditions of the trust are such that any young man of our town who files his name with the Town Clerk before he is sixteen years of age and declares his intention not to drink intoxicating liquors and not to smoke and chew tobacco before he shall have become twenty-one years of age and shall have kept his pledge until that time, shall receive from the income of the fund the sum of ten dollars, together with a certificate of commendation from the selectmen.

The town clerk's records show that 514 young men have enrolled their names under this pledge. Twelve, whose names appear below, have been paid the fee during the past year, making a total of 58 since the trust was received by the town in March, 1883. During the first few years the income was cumulative, but it is now decreasing and will evidently soon be exhausted, so that in the future those who present themselves as having kept the pledge, are liable to be kept on the waiting list, unless the town or some individual should take some action to increase the income.

The fund is at present invested in a note of the town of Wakefield (Armory Loan) due December 1st, 1904, and bears interest at the rate of four per centum per annum.

STATEMENT OF INTEREST.

Balance available at last report,	\$168 18
Interest on above to Feb. 1, 1898,	6 72
Interest one year on note of \$1,000,	40 00
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	\$214 90
Paid Patrick O'Connell,	\$10 00
Harry B. Sears,	10 00
W. A. Lewis,	10 00
A. W. Burnham,	10 00
E. B. Whiton,	10 00
Charles Butler,	10 00
Luther M. Sweetser,	10 00
James E. McManuis,	10 00

Wm. F. Barrett,	10 00	
Edward J. Connelly,	10 00	
T. J. Ardill,	10 00	
C. Percy Tuttle,	10 00	\$120 00
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Balance available,		\$94 90

The number of young men who have been paid the fee the past year is in excess of any previous year, the record being as follows :

Year 1888-9,	1
“ 1889-90,	6
“ 1890-1,	9
“ 1891-2,	5
“ 1892-3,	4
“ 1893-4,	3
“ 1894-5,	6
“ 1895-6,	10
“ 1896-7,	2
“ 1897-8,	12

C. SWEETSER BURIAL LOT FUND, \$1,000.

The income from this fund bequeathed to the town in trust by the late Cornelius Sweetser of Saco, Me., is to be used in keeping in repair and beautifying with flowers and shrubbery the burial lot of the parents of the donor, which is in the Old Burial Ground in the rear of the Congregational church.

This fund is on deposit with the Wakefield Savings Bank.

STATEMENT.

Balance on hand as per last report,	\$1,559 37
Interest added to August 1st, 1897,	62 94
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	\$1,622 31
Paid S. T. Parker, plants, etc.,	\$10 00
Wm. Murray, care of lot.	5 00
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Balance,	\$1,607 31

The amount in excess of \$1,000 is available for the purposes named in the trust,

It will be observed that the "balance available" is steadily increasing from year to year and in the future may assume quite large proportions, unless some action is taken looking to a more even and judicious annual expense. This expense has varied from \$2 per year, for simply cutting the grass, to \$25 per year for plants, etc., according to the various ideas or thoughtfulness of the different boards of selectmen, while the income ranges from \$40 to \$60 and will be still more as the fund increases. It has been suggested that under the phrase "keeping in repair" as stated in the terms of the bequest, it would be permissible to enclose the lot with a stone curb or other granite adornment. If this could properly be done, the fund could doubtless be reduced to its original amount, and then some systematic annual outlay for "plants and shrubbery" could be entered upon whereby the original intention of the donor might be more fully carried out.

C. SWEETSER LECTURE FUND, \$10,000.

This fund is invested as follows :

City of Boston bonds, 4s, due 1899,	\$5,000 00
Town of Wakefield note (temporary loan) due	
April 1, '98,	5,000 00
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	\$10,000 00

By the terms of the bequest this fund is for the purpose of providing such lectures as will tend to improve the public mind. A reasonable fee for admission is required, and the net proceeds of the course are to be paid over to such charitable organization in said town of Wakefield as the municipal officers of the town may designate, to be distributed among the worthy poor of the town.

The sum of \$400, as income from this fund for one year, has been paid to the Sweetser Lecture Committee.

The net proceeds from the lecture courses of 1895-7 were as follows, paid to the treasurer April 2, 1897, by Harry Foster :

Course of 1895-6,	\$23 45
Course of 1896-7,	149 85
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Total,	\$173 30

By vote of the selectmen the above amount was paid to the Sweetser Charity, Mrs. Ellen S. Rogers, Treas., on June 18, 1897.

In addition to the above named trust there is also a fund deposited in the Wakefield Savings Bank which was received from the trustees of the late Cornelius Sweetser subsequent to the original bequest, and which, by vote of the town, is held in reserve to pay any deficiencies arising from the lecture courses in the future.

STATEMENT.

Balance on hand, as per last report,	.	.	.	\$564 85
Interest added to August 1, 1897,	.	.	.	22 80
Balance available,	.	.	.	<hr/> \$587 65

RECEIPTS FROM LICENSES.

J. S. Bonney, milk,	.	.	.	.	.	\$35 00
J. S. Bonney, plumbers',	.	.	.	.	.	6 50
J. Devlin, auctioneer,	.	.	.	.	.	2 00
Butler Bros., auctioneer,	.	.	.	.	.	2 00
Ira C. Ward, tent show,	.	.	.	.	.	2 00
Flying Horse,	.	.	.	.	.	4 00
A. H. Thayer, fireworks,	.	.	.	.	.	1 00
A. Butler,	"	.	.	.	.	1 00
H. E. Butler,	"	.	.	.	.	1 00
Rachel McDonald,	"	.	.	.	.	1 00
E. N. Smith,	"	.	.	.	.	1 00
W. A. Thompson,	"	.	.	.	.	1 00
Total,	.	.	.	.	.	<hr/>\$57 50

LOAN ACCOUNT.

Amount of Loans Feb 1, 1897,	\$342,000 00
Notes issued, account Map and Survey,	2,500 00
Hired on Temporary Loans,	94,300 00
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	\$438,800 00
Amount paid since Feb. 1, 1897,	124,000 00
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Amount outstanding,	\$314,800 00
Due as follows :	
Temporary Loan, due April 1, 1898,	\$5,000 00
“ “ “ May 4, 1898,	20,000 00
Municipal Light Loan, Oct. 1, 1898,	3,000 00
Warren School House, Oct. 1, 1898,	2,000 00
Greenwood School House, Oct. 1, 1898,	1,000 00
Lincoln School House, Nov. 1, 1898,	5,000 00
Temporary Loan, Nov. 4, 1898,	10,000 00
“ “ “ 4, 1898,	5,000 00
“ “ “ 4, 1898,	5,000 00
“ “ Dec. 1, 1898,	6,300 00
“ “ Dec. 1, 1898,	2,500 00
“ “ Dec. 1, 1898,	500 00
Municipal Loan, Oct. 1, 1899,	3,000 00
Warren School House, Oct. 1, 1899,	2,000 00
Greenwood School House, Oct. 1, 1889,	1,000 00
Lincoln School House, Nov. 1, 1889,	5,000 00
Map and Survey, Dec. 1, 1899,	500 00
Municipal Light Loan, Oct. 1, 1900,	3,000 00
Warren School House, Oct. 1, 1900,	2,000 00
Greenwood School House, Oct. 1, 1900,	1,000 00
Lincoln School House, Nov. 1, 1900,	5,000 00
Armory Loan, Dec. 1, 1900,	3,000 00
Map and Survey, Dec. 1, 1900,	500 00
Municipal Light Loan, Oct. 1, 1901,	3,000 00
Warren School House, Oct. 1, 1901,	2,000 00
Greenwood School House, Oct. 1, 1901,	1,000 00
Lincoln School House, Nov. 1, 1901,	5,000 00
Armory Loan, Dec. 1, 1901,	3,000 00

Map and Survey, Dec. 1, 1901,	\$500 00
Municipal Light Loan, Oct. 1, 1902,	3,000 00
Warren School House, Oct. 1, 1902,	2,000 00
Greenwood School House, Oct. 1, 1902,	1,000 00
Lincoln School House, Nov. 1, 1902,	8,000 00
Map and Survey, Dec. 1, 1902,	500 00
Municipal Light Loan, Oct. 1, 1903,	3,000 00
Warren School House, Oct. 1, 1903,	2,000 00
Greenwood School House, Oct. 1, 1903,	1,000 00
Armory Loan, Dec. 1, 1903,	3,000 00
Map and Survey, Dec. 1, 1903,	500 00
Municipal Light Loan, Oct. 1, 1904,	3,000 00
Warren School House, Oct. 1, 1904,	2,000 00
Greenwood School House, Oct. 1, 1904,	1,000 00
Armory Loan, Dec. 1, 1904,	3,000 00
Municipal Light Loan, Oct. 1, 1905,	6,000 00
Warren School House, Oct. 1, 1905,	2,000 00
Greenwood School House, Oct. 1, 1905,	1,000 00
Municipal Light Loan, Oct. 1, 1906,	6,000 00
Warren School House, Oct. 1, 1906,	2,000 00
Greenwood School House, Oct. 1, 1906,	1,000 00
Municipal Light Loan, Oct. 1, 1907,	6,000 00
Warren School House, Oct. 1, 1907,	2,000 00
Greenwood School House, Oct. 1, 1907,	1,000 00
Municipal Light Loan, Oct. 1, 1908,	6,000 00
Warren School House, Oct. 1, 1908,	2,000 00
Greenwood School House, Oct. 1, 1908,	1,000 00
Municipal Light Loan, Oct. 1, 1909,	6,000 00
Warren School House, Oct. 1, 1909,	2,000 00
Greenwood School House, Oct. 1, 1909,	1,000 00
Municipal Light Loan, Oct. 1, 1910,	6,000 00
Warren School House, Oct. 1, 1910,	2,000 00
Greenwood School House, Oct. 1, 1910,	1,000 00
Municipal Light Loan, Oct. 1, 1911,	6,000 00
Warren School House, Oct. 1, 1911,	2,000 00
Greenwood School House, Oct. 1, 1911,	1,000 00
Municipal Light Loan, Oct. 1, 1912,	6,000 00
Warren School House, Oct. 1, 1912,	2,000 00

Greenwood School House, Oct. 1, 1912.	.	.	\$1,000 00
Municipal Light Loan, Oct. 1, 1913.	.	.	6,000 00
Warren School House, Oct. 1, 1913.	.	.	2,000 00
Municipal Light Loan, Oct. 1, 1914,	.	.	6,000 00
“ “ “ “ 1915,	.	.	9,000 00
“ “ “ “ 1916,	.	.	9,000 00
“ “ “ “ 1917,	.	.	9,000 00
“ “ “ “ 1918.	.	.	9,000 00
“ “ “ “ 1919,	.	.	9,000 00
“ “ “ “ 1920,	.	.	9,000 00
“ “ “ “ 1921,	.	.	9,000 00
“ “ “ “ 1922,	.	.	9,000 00
“ “ “ “ 1923,	.	.	9,000 00
“ “ “ “ 1924.	.	.	9,000 00
Total,	.	.	<u>\$314,800 00</u>

INTEREST ACCOUNT.

Appropriation authorized,	.	.	\$14,000 00
Premium and accrued interest received,	.	.	159 43
			<u>\$14,159 43</u>

Expended :

Temporary Loans,	.	.	.	\$2,084 13
Municipal Light,	.	.	.	6,960 00
Lincoln School House,	.	.	.	1,320 00
Warren “ “	.	.	.	1,360 00
Greenw'd “ “	.	.	.	640 00
Armory Loan,	.	.	.	480 00
Funded Loan,	.	.	.	160 00
Nichols Temperance Fund,	.	.	.	6 72
				<u>\$13,010 85</u>
Balance unexpended,	.	.	.	\$1,148 58

FLOATING INDEBTEDNESS.

LOANS IN ANTICIPATION OF TAXES.

Note due April 1, 1898,	\$5,000 00
“ May 4, 1898,	20,000 00
“ Nov. 4, 1898,	20,000 00
“ Dec. 1, 1898,	9,300 00

\$54,300 00

Accrued interest to Feb. 1, 1898,	3,662 00
Outstanding Town Orders,	642 61
Balance of interest of Nichols Fund,	94 90
Held for tax sale redemption,	50 00
Dog tax of 1897, not appropriated,	604 22
Balance of appropriations unused and held over:	

Municipal Light,	\$2,102 13
Greenwood School House,	1,274 40
Cooper street,	1,479 50
Map and survey,	664 40

\$64,874 16

Credit,

Cash balance in treasury,	\$16,463 74
Due from State Aid, 1897,	2,154 00
“ Military Aid, 1897,	444 00
“ both, Jan., 1898,	210 50
Uncollected taxes, 1896,	775 75
“ “ 1897,	38,947 86
Amount appropriated at November meeting, 1897,	9,271 74
Due from Beebe Town Library,	18 66
	<hr/> \$68,286 25
Excess of assets,	\$3,412 09

TOWN DEBT.

MUNICIPAL LIGHT BONDS.

21 bonds \$1000 each, due \$3000 each year from 1898 to 1904,	\$21,000 00
60 bonds \$1000 each, due \$6000 each year from 1905 to 1914,	60,000 00
90 bonds \$1000 each, due \$9000 each year from 1915 to 1924,	90,000 00
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	\$171,000 00

ARMORY LOAN.

3 notes \$1000 each, due Dec. 1, 1900,	\$3,000 00
3 " " " " " 1901,	3,000 00
3 " " " " " 1903,	3,000 00
3 " " " " " 1904,	3,000 00
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	\$12,000 00

LINCOLN SCHOOL HOUSE.

5 bonds \$1000 each, due Nov. 1, 1898,	\$5,000 00
5 " " " " " 1899,	5,000 00
5 " " " " " 1900,	5,000 00
5 " " " " " 1901,	5,000 00
1 note \$8000 due Nov. 1, 1902,	8,000 00
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	\$28,000 00

H. M. WARREN SCHOOL HOUSE.

32 bonds \$1000 each, due \$2000 each year from 1898 to 1913,	\$32,000 00
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GREENWOOD SCHOOL HOUSE.

15 bonds \$1000 each, due \$1000 each year from 1898 to 1912,	\$15,000 00
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TOWN MAP AND SURVEY.

5 notes \$500 each, due \$500 each year from 1899 to 1903,	\$2,500 00
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RECAPITULATION.

Municipal Light Loan,	\$171,000 00
Armory Loan,	12,000 00
Lincoln School House,	28,000 00
Warren School House,	32,000 00
Greenwood School House,	15,000 00
Town Map and Survey,	2,500 00
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	\$260,500 00

The total debt has been decreased in the sum of \$12,500.00, as per statement below.

Municipal Light Bonds taken up,	\$3,000 00
Lincoln School House bonds taken up,	5,000 00
Warren School House bonds taken up,	2,000 00
Greenwood School House bonds taken up,	1,000 00
Funded Loan notes taken up,	4,000 00
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	\$15,000 00
Notes issued account Map and Survey,	2,500 00
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Net decrease,	\$12,500 00

NOTE AND BOND ACCOUNT.

NOTES ISSUED.

Date.	Amount.	Account.	Rate.	When Payable.
April 1, 1897.	\$5,000	Temporary Loan.	4 per cent.	April 1, 1898.
" 22, "	10,000	" "	3 1-4 per cent.	Oct. 22, "
May 20, "	20,000	" "	2 8-10 per cent.	" 20, "
July 8, "	10,000	" "	2 3-4 per cent.	Nov. 8, "
Nov. 4, "	20,000	" "	3.045 per cent.	May 5, "
" 4, "	10,000	" "	3.55 per cent.	Nov. 4, "
" 4, "	5,000	" "	3.55 per cent.	" " "
" 4, "	5,000	" "	3.55 per cent.	" " "
Dec. 1, "	6,300	Taxes of 1898.	3.55 per cent.	Dec. 1, "
" 1, "	2,500	" "	4 per cent.	" " "
" 1, "	500	" "	4 per cent.	" " "
" 1, "	2,500	Map and Survey,	3.58 per cent.	\$500 annually,
		2 to 6 yrs.		from 1899.
Total.	\$96,800			

NOTES AND BONDS PAID.

Date of Note.	When Paid.	Amount.	Account.
Oct. 29, 1896.....	July 1, 1897.	\$20,000 00	Temporary Loan.
Oct. 1, 1894.....	Oct. 1, "	3,000 00	Municipal Light.
Apr. 1, 1896.....	Oct. 1, "	2,000 00	Warren School.
Apr. 1, 1896.....	Oct. 1, "	1,000 00	Greenwood School.
Dec. 3, 1896.....	Oct. 3, "	10,000 00	Temporary Loan.
Feb. 4, 1897.....	Oct. 1, "	14,000 00	Taxes 1897.
May 20, 1897.....	Oct. 20, "	20,000 00	Temporary Loan.
Apr. 22, 1897.....	Oct. 22, "	10,000 00	Temporary Loan.
May 1, 1891.....	Nov. 1, "	5,000 00	Lincoln School.
Nov. 5, 1896.....	" 5, "	10,000 00	Temporary Loan.
July 8, 1897.....	" 8, "	10,000 00	Temporary Loan.
Nov. 12, 1896.....	" " "	5,000 00	Temporary Loan.
Nov. 12, 1896.....	" " "	5,000 00	Temporary Loan.
June 1, 1889.....	Dec. 1, "	4,000 00	Funded Loan.
Jan. 7, 1897.....	Dec. 31. "	5,000 00	Temporary Loan.
Total.		\$124,000 00	

LIST OF TAX DEEDS HELD BY TREASURER FOR NON-PAYMENT OF TAXES.

No.	To Whom Taxed.	Tax of	Date of Deed.	Amount.
109	Sarah W. Stevens.....	1887	July 13, 1889.	\$37 33
113	John D. Young.....	1888	Aug. 11, 1890.	6 27
114	Isaac Evans.....	1888	" "	6 27
115	Stephen D. Learnard.....	1889	June 27, 1891.	7 48
116	Samuel P. Abbott.....	1889	" "	7 48
117	Cyrus N. Campbell.....	1889	" "	6 75
118	Samuel P. Abbott.....	1890	June 6, 1892.	7 55
119	Stephen D. Learnard.....	1890	" "	7 55
121	Frank I. Barrett.....	1891	July 3, 1893.	10 33
122	Samuel P. Abbott.....	1891	" "	7 65
124	Stephen D. Learnard.....	1891	" "	7 65
125	Martha M. C. Reid.....	1891	" "	50 45
127	John Doherty.....	1892	Sept. 3, 1894.	17 70
128	Stephen D. Learnard.....	1892	" "	7 74
129	Martha M. C. Reid.....	1892	" "	59 53
130	Martha M. C. Reid.....	1893	June 4, 1895.	56 90
131	Albert T. Emery.....	1893	" "	11 00
132	Rebecca M. Stanley.....	1893	" "	7 31
137	Martha M. C. Reid.....	1894	June 8, 1896.	64 90
138	Elizabeth Dearborn.....	1895	July 19, 1897.	8 55
140	David H. Bigelow.....	1895	" "	42 27
142	David Gillespie.....	1895	" "	150 60
144	James Scales.....	1895	" "	7 42
145	James Scales.....	1895	" "	8 35
146	Sarah E. Pratt.....	1895	" "	10 59

DR. THOMAS J. SKINNER, Treasurer,

Balance in Treasury at last report,	\$11,558 60
Hired on Temporary Loans,	94,300 00
Hired on Time Loans (map and survey),	2,500 00
Premiums and accrued interest,	159 43
Chas. F. Woodward, Collector of Taxes of 1895,	17,882 47
" " " 1896,	37,982 07
Chas. E. Walton, " " 1897,	90,405 93
Municipal Light Plant receipts,	18,291 63
Overseers of the Poor, "	2,265 99
Road Commissioners, "	167 08
Concrete and edgestone bills of previous years,	658 84
Selectmen, receipts from Town Hall,	473 00
School Committee, acct. Tuition,	1,213 26
State Treasurer, " Corporation tax,	3,382 13
" " Bank tax,	991 33
" " State Aid, 1896,	2,070 00
" " Military Aid, 1896,	395 00
" " Armory Rent,	400 00
" " State Paupers,	3 00
County Treasurer, acct. Dog tax 1897,	604 22
W. N. Tyler, Clerk of Court, acct. fines,	508 27
House of Correction, acct. fines,	50 00
Sweetser Lecture Fund Income,	400 00
Sweetser Lecture Committee, net proceeds 2 yrs.,	173 30
Beebe Town Library, Interest from funds,	160 00
" " " Librarian receipts,	20 29
J. Nichols Temperance Fund, interest,	40 00
Tax deeds redeemed,	126 79
License fees received,	57 50
Town of Stoneham, rebate of taxes overpaid,	302 22
Mr. Junius Beebe, donation to Town Library,	100 00
C. Sweetser Burial Lot fund, for care of lot in 1896, paid from Town Treasury,	4 00
Error in Town Orders refunded,	40
Interest allowed on deposits,	48 53

\$287,395 28

in account with the TOWN OF WAKEFIELD, CR.

By cash paid Selectmen's orders,	\$118,105 11
Principal on loans,	124,000 00
Interest on loans,	13,004 13
Beebe Town Library payments,	1,156 24
Public Reading Room " "	174 48
State Aid " "	2,162 00
County Treasurer, County tax,	5,541 58
State Treasurer, State tax,	4,095 00
" " Bank tax,	592 09
" " Metropolitan sewer assessment,	
1896,	680 04
State Treasurer, Metropolitan sewer assessment,	
1899,	671 20
Sweetser Lecture Committee, income of fund,	400 00
Sweetser Charity, net proceeds 2 yrs,	173 30
Jonathan Nichols fund, payments,	120 00
Chas. F. Woodward, Collector, for tax deeds,	344 37
C. W. Eaton, services account tax deeds,	12 00
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Total payments,	\$271,231 54
Balance in Treasury.	16,463 74

\$287,695 28

DR. THOMAS J. SKINNER, Treasurer,

To annual appropriation,	\$300 00
Dog tax of 1893 (as per vote),	570 20
Interest from Dr. Hurd Fund, 1 yr.,	100 00
" " C. Wakefield Fund, 1 yr.,	20 00
" " Flint Memorial Fund, 1 yr.,	40 00
Donation from Mr. Junius Beebe,	100 00
Mrs. Harriet A. Shepard, from sale of catalogues, fines, etc.,	20 29
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	\$1,150 49
Balance overdrawn,	18 66
To be taken from next year's income.	

\$1,169 15

DR. THOMAS J. SKINNER, Treasurer,

To annual appropriation,	\$175 00
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\$175 00

in account with the BEEBE TOWN LIBRARY, CR.

By balance overdrawn, as per last report,		\$12 91
Mrs. Harriet A. Shepard, librarian, to Feb. 1, '98,		600 00
“ “ “ sundries,		20 29
Little, Brown & Co., books,	\$158 09	
N. J. Bartlett & Co., “	210 67	
Geo. B. Reed, “	3 00	
W. H. Feeney, “	4 00	
F. S. Blanchard & Co., “	1 50	
C. J. Maynard, “	1 50	
Town of Dover, “	1 70	
Courier-Citizen Co., “	10 00	
Banner of Light, “	3 19	
A. H. Thayer, “	2 00	
		\$395 65
F. J. Barnard & Co., repairs of books,	60 75	
M. P. Foster, printing, etc.,	35 35	
Wakefield Item, advertising,	1 50	
Morrill & Atwood, ice (2 yrs.),	24 00	
F. W. Pierce, express,	3 65	
C. Latimer, “	1 40	
G. H. Taylor & Co., sundries,	1 90	
L. H. Tourtelotte, ladders,	11 75	
		\$1,169 15

in acct. with the PUBLIC READING ROOM, CR.

By A. H. Thayer, periodicals,		\$159 43
Library bureau, binders, etc.,		15 05
Total paid,		\$174 48
Balance unexpended,		52
		\$175 00

STATE AID.

The following individuals have been paid State Aid by direction of the Selectmen. The amount is reimbursed by the State annually.

Branch, Wm. H.	\$30 00	Mansfield, Wm. J.	\$36 00
Brown, Mary V.	48 00	Mansfield, Jas. F.	8 00
Burdett, John W.	48 00	McLaughlin, J. B.	48 00
Chandler, Augusta M.	48 00	Miller, Elizabeth A.	48 00
Cowdrey, Adah E.	24 00	Moses, Elizabeth	48 00
Cutter, Lizzie S.	48 00	Mellen, Hattie	12 00
Davis, Angelina	48 00	Newhall, Lucien E.	48 00
Davis, Annette	48 00	O'Connell, Dennis	36 00
Dennison, Elizabeth	48 00	Oliver, James	54 00
Douglas, Elizabeth	48 00	Parker, Wm. D.	48 00
Edmands, Rodney,	36 00	Ryder, Florence A. B.	48 00
Ellis, Frank M.	30 00	Saunders, Julia A.	44 00
Emerson, John H.	72 00	Sweeney, Wm.	48 00
Emerson, Hannah M.	8 00	Shanahan, Daniel A.	20 00
Evans, Wm. O.	36 00	Townsend, Geo. W.	48 00
Evans, Honora	48 00	Tobey, Abdilla	32 00
Fay, Patrick	24 00	Walsh, Louisa	48 00
Fay, Mary	12 00	Wheeler, Hannah M.	36 00
Foster, Mary F.	48 00	Wiley, Elbridge A.	48 00
Hall, Mary A.	48 00	Wiley, Julia A.	48 00
Hamilton, Margaret	48 00	Willan, Elvira	48 00
Hawkes, John	36 00	Winch, Louisa	18 00
Hawkes, Dolly	36 00	Woodis, Vasti	48 00
Keough, T. J.	18 00	Whitford, John	72 00
Kidder, Matilda L.	48 00	Whipple, Bethiah	52 00
Locke, Lucinda	48 00		
Madden, Ann	36 00	Total,	\$2,162 00
Madden, Margaret	48 00		

CLOSING REMARKS.

During the year 1898 there will be paid of the town debt the amount of \$11,000, as follows :

Municipal Light Plant,	\$3,000 00
Lincoln School House,	5,000 00
Warren " "	2,000 00
Greenw'd " "	1,000 00
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Total,	\$11,000 00

In addition to above the amount of \$9,271.74, which was voted at the November meeting, and now carried in " Floating Indebtedness," will be included in the tax levy of 1898.

There will be a further sum required for interest of \$13,500.

Of the amounts due the town for edgestones and concrete, as reported last year, the following have been paid into the treasury :

Geo. H. Smith,	\$111 41
Chas. S. Hanks,	19 78
G. W. Killorin,	39 32
Est. A. W. Fitz (including Parker).	51 99
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Total,	\$222 50

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS J. SKINNER, *Treasurer.*

WAKEFIELD, Feb. 10, 1898.

OVERSEERS' REPORT.

The Board of Overseers hereby submit their annual report. The farm is in excellent condition and the superintendent has much improved the surroundings of the house by removing the boulders, etc., on the land to the south of it and grading it, making a nice lawn.

We cut fifty tons of hay this year. We have fifteen inmates at present and more to come.

The superintendent and his wife extend a cordial invitation to all the citizens of the town to inspect the farm and house at any time.

The year has been a hard one and we have had many calls and many large bills. For one family alone we have paid out \$566.06. There are unpaid bills amounting to \$541.82, but we have owing us by the State and others more than enough to offset this amount.

We have paid out for various persons the sum of \$525.94, which amount has been refunded by them or their friends and does not appear in our report.

During the year we have fed 2,338 tramps at a cost to the town of \$282.04.

Respectfully submitted,

HIRAM EATON,
WILLIAM A. CUTTER,
WILLIS S. MASON,

Overseers of the Poor.

POOR DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

RECEIPTS.

March 8, 1897, Appropriation, . . .	\$6,000 00	
Nov. 8, 1897, Appropriation, additional, . . .	2,000 00	
		<u>\$8,000 00</u>

ALMSHOUSE RECEIPTS.

From sale of milk,	\$1,142 12	
“ “ eggs,	15 27	
“ “ wood,	101 75	
“ “ calves,	7 25	
“ “ hen,	1 00	
“ “ sand,	16 00	
“ “ stove,	1 00	
“ difference in bulls,	6 00	
“ use of bulls,	22 00	
“ moving goods,	3 00	
“ board of Mr. Stack,	168 00	
“ “ Mr. Taylor and wife,	84 00	
“ Union Supply Co., error in bill,	22 60	
		<u>1,589 99</u>

OUTSIDE RECEIPTS.

E. L. Hawes, board of W. L. Hawes, . . .	\$169 93	
Town of Braintree, Geo. E Pratt, . . .	16 09	
State of Massachusetts, Mrs. La Rose, . . .	3 00	
City of Lynn, Mrs. Roach,	45 53	
R. F. Draper, tramps,	11 00	
City of Malden, Walter Tuttle,	31 43	
Trustee on bill,	35 43	
		<u>312 41</u>
Total receipts,		<u>\$9,902 40</u>

EXPENSES OF OUTSIDE POOR.

EXPENSES AT INSTITUTIONS.

Margaret Ogilvie, at Danvers hospital, .	\$169 53
John Froton, at Mass. Sch. F. M. .	126 72
Abbie L. McKee, at Taunton hospital, .	126 75
Eliza Green, at Westborough hospital, .	126 76
Sarah Bachelder, at Mrs. W. J. Green's, .	146 00
Hannah C. Flynn, at Danvers hospital, .	169 53
Geo. W. Clark, " " .	169 53
Chas. H. Potter, " " .	169 53
Hannah Lyons, at Medfield hospital, .	109 20
Annie A. Emerson, at Danvers hospital, .	169 53
Victorine E. Marsh, at Danvers hospital, .	164 59
Mary Regan, at Medfield hospital, .	109 28
Elizabeth Chadbourne, at Danvers hospital, .	169 53
Louis Neiss, at truant school, .	58 86
John Dorneiden, at Danvers hospital, .	216 89
Annie O. Wenzel, " " .	190 89
Agnes Hilton, " " .	42 71
Solon Green, " " .	108 23
Frank O'Neil, " " .	21 82
	<hr/> \$2,565 80

AID TO PERSONS RESIDING HERE WITH SETTLEMENTS ELSEWHERE.

Mrs. C. Roach, Lynn, . . .	\$45 93
John Watts, State of Mass., . . .	76 03
Geo. E. Pratt, Braintree, . . .	28 96
Mary Looney, State of Mass., . . .	119 75
Iza Doucette, " " . . .	16 00
Jos. Muse, " " . . .	3 97
Walter Tuttle, Malden, . . .	14 25
Mary Lafave, Melrose, . . .	13 81
Alfred Brewer, Boston, . . .	32 00
W. L. Harding, State of Mass., . . .	15 00
Ethel Wood, " " . . .	5 00
Minnie Dorey, " " . . .	38 00
G. O. McIntyre, No. Reading, . . .	10 00

Jos. Hager, State of Mass.,	\$10 00	
John Reiber, " "	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$438 70

AID TO NON-RESIDENTS WITH SETTLEMENTS HERE.

Mrs. Thos. Bacon and children, at Lynn,	\$88 50	
Mrs. C. W. Whitney, at Bridgewater, .	130 33	
Edward Putnam, at Douglas, . . .	39 42	
Mrs. P. O'Rourke and children, at Chelsea,	41 00	
T. Haggerty, wife and children, at Natick,	154 08	
Chas. Ohlsen, wife and children, at Lynn,	22 15	
M. Callahan and family, at Everett, .	22 15	
Jos. E. Flagg, at Malden,	122 86	
Mary J. O'Conner, at Malden, . . .	182 16	
Nettie Smith, at Boston,	7 00	
Dora Foley, at Boston,	11 00	
G. E. Young, at Franklin,	178 42	
	<hr/>	1,002 82

OUTSIDE HOME RELIEF.

John Connell and family,	\$157 22	
Liza Barry,	46 28	
Hannah Lonergan,	36 00	
A. A. Magee and family,	86 60	
Mrs. M. Mertins,	28 34	
Mrs. O. Haney and family,	54 43	
John Doyle and family,	72 58	
Jane Skully,	9 25	
Jas. Doyle and family,	226 64	
Mrs. J. O'Cleary and family,	113 14	
Mrs. C. W. Myers and family,	185 09	
Mrs. John Dorneiden and family,	349 17	
Mrs. J. Percival,	11 91	
J. Roach and family,	115 08	
Mrs. James Bransfield,	65 07	
Mrs. S. F. Golliday and family,	49 41	
Mrs. J. O'Hara and family,	96 09	
Mrs. J. White,	3 00	
J. Curran, Jr., and family,	75 67	
Mrs. D. Horgan and family,	31 39	

Patrick Burns and family,	\$88 32	
Wm. Moore,	18 53	
Mrs. P. J. Phelan,	56 00	
W. H. Gray and family,	15 99	
C. T. Boyce and family,	10 50	
Patrick Sullivan and family,	7 19	
W. O. Nickerson and family,	26 70	
Mrs. D. Shannahan and family,	21 35	
Mrs. John Chase,	2 00	
John Sliney and family,	99	
James Hennessy,	15 02	
Mrs. Wm. Coleman and family,	104 93	
John O'Hea,	27 75	
Mrs. Julia Sullivan,	7 99	
James McCarthy,	118 25	
C. H. T. Brown,	7 87	
Felix Muse,	12 74	
Simon Doucette,	33 48	
Daniel Frost,	8 56	
Tufts children,	18 00	
William Smith,	2 05	
Mrs. Jaquith,	21 00	
Albert Hawkes,	69 00	
L. Burns,	9 92	
Daniel Sullivan,	12 50	
Abbie Hawkes,	6 00	
Mrs. S. E. Allard,	11 29	
John Burbine,	2 04	
W. F. Skinner,	4 02	
Tramps, 2,338,	282 04	
Sundry expenses of department,	23 29	
	<hr/>	\$2,857 67
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		\$6,864 99
Less trustee on bill,		35 43
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		\$6,829 56
Less potatoes delivered from farm,		63 81
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Total outside expenses,		\$6,765 75

ALMSHOUSE STORE ACCOUNT.

Stimpson & Co.,	Bags, etc.,	\$4 00
Ira Atkinson,	Groceries,	.	.	.	.	196 55
W. V. Taylor,	"	.	.	.	.	135 72
W. A. Cutter,	"	.	.	.	.	148 52
G. P. Haley,	"	.	.	.	.	114 88
						<hr/>
						\$599 67
Delivered to Outside Poor,						585 78
						<hr/>
Stock on hand,						\$13 89

DETAILED ALMSHOUSE EXPENSES.

GROCERIES.

Cutler Bros.,	.	.	.	.	.	\$ 23 81
Ira Atkinson,	.	.	.	.	.	94 16
Holden Bros.,	.	.	.	.	.	23 42
Block & Cate,	.	.	.	.	.	25 57
G. W. Eaton,	.	.	.	.	.	1 42
Small & Jones,	.	.	.	.	.	24 50
W. A. Cutter,	.	.	.	.	.	178 05
E. W. Eaton,	.	.	.	.	.	39 70
John Corner,	.	.	.	.	.	12 43
W. V. Taylor,	.	.	.	.	.	87 11
G. P. Haley,	.	.	.	.	.	14 29
F. A. Pickering,	.	.	.	.	.	7 04
						<hr/>
						\$531 50

MEAT, FISH AND PROVISIONS.

W. V. Taylor,	.	.	.	.	.	\$0 60
Union Supply Co.,	.	.	.	.	.	208 58
J. G. Hunt,	.	.	.	.	.	22 10
Thorndike Market,	.	.	.	.	.	72 03
						<hr/>
						\$303 31

GRAIN AND FEED.

Ira Atkinson,	.	.	.	.	.	\$62 37
M. J. Curley,	.	.	.	.	.	297 87
						<hr/>
						\$360 24

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING AND SHOES.

Bowser & Co.,	.	.	.	.	.	\$2 48
A. P. Linnell,	.	.	.	.	.	7 05
H. I. Pulsifer,	.	.	.	.	.	1 25
E. G. Daland,	.	.	.	.	.	13 85
J. W. Poland & Co.,	.	.	.	.	.	19 04
J. T. Paine,	.	.	.	.	.	9 47
Hugh Connell,	.	.	.	.	.	19 25
Richard Britton,	.	.	.	.	.	11 45

 \$83 84

SALARIES, FARM LABOR, ETC.

G. E. Donald,	.	.	.	.	.	\$650 00
Herman Bubole,	.	.	.	.	.	139 00
Frank Johnson,	.	.	.	.	.	44 00
R. W. Jackson,	.	.	.	.	.	6 00
E. E. Tyzzer,	.	.	.	.	.	13 00
John Byers,	.	.	.	.	.	18 75
H. O. Mitchell,	.	.	.	.	.	10 00
Ralph Edmands,	.	.	.	.	.	58 75
J. H. Scott,	.	.	.	.	.	10 00
H. A. Staples,	.	.	.	.	.	11 05

 961 05

HOUSEHOLD LABOR.

Lizzie Murdy,	.	.	.	.	.	\$58 73
Mary Dempsy,	.	.	.	.	.	6 00
Abbie Kendrick,	.	.	.	.	.	50 99
Ellen Barrett,	.	.	.	.	.	13 28
Jessie Edmunds,	.	.	.	.	.	12 85
Jennie Bartlett,	.	.	.	.	.	13 29

 155 14

TOOLS, SEED, ETC.

Ira Atkinson,	.	.	.	.	.	\$15 41
W. S. Atherton,	.	.	.	.	.	75
J. Laybolt,	.	.	.	.	.	1 40
Cutler Brothers,	.	.	.	.	.	6 73
C. S. Knowles,	.	.	.	.	.	75

 25 04

BLACKSMITHING, REPAIRS, ETC.

Sederquest & Wanamake,	\$16 65	
G. H. Hathaway,	20 20	
J. T. Gosnay,	20 05	
W. Kendall & Co.,	8 00	
R. C. North,	49 85	
	<hr/>	\$114 75

FERTILIZER AND MANURE.

W. D. Deadman,	\$11 25	
Ira Atkinson,	9 60	
Mansfield & Cheney,	12 00	
T. H. Webb,	2 00	
T. J. McManus,	2 00	
E. W. Eaton,	7 00	
	<hr/>	43 85

MEDICAL EXPENSES.

Jordan drug store,	\$0 75	
J. S. Bonney,	9 10	
	<hr/>	9 85

STOCK EXPENSES.

Geo. Dow, shote,	\$4 00	
Dr. F. O. Walton, services.	1 50	
C. E. Randall, pig,	6 00	
G. H. Hathaway, use of horse,	3 00	
W. R. Hussey, exchange cows.	30 00	
M. F. Gould, cow,	50 00	
	<hr/>	94 50

MISCELLANEOUS.

C. H. Spencer, lumber,	\$31 75	
David Taggart, plumbing,	70 28	
G. H. Taylor, sundries.	4 04	
J. M. Perley, lime,	1 05	
B. & M. R. R., tickets,	5 75	
C. W. Lerner, disinfectant,	10 00	
C. Latimer, express,	13 93	
Mansfield & Cheney, coal,	179 19	

Wakefield Water Co., water,	\$40 00	
A. J. Perham, team,	4 00	
John Flanley, mattresses,	6 00	
J. Breck & Sons, mower,	37 80	
Town of Saugus, tax,	7 32	
S. F. Littlefield & Co., sundries,	15 10	
Morrill & Atwood, ice,	20 18	
Mansfield & Cheney, lime,	40	
		<hr/> \$446 79
Total expenses at almshouse,		<hr/> \$3,129 86
Total receipts for 1897,		\$9,902 00
Total expense, outside poor,	\$6,765 75	
“ “ almshouse,	3,129 86	
		<hr/> 9,895 61
Balance unexpended,		<hr/> \$6 79

ALMSHOUSE INVENTORY.

LIVE STOCK.

One mare,	\$150 00	
Eleven cows,	550 00	
Fowls,	50 00	
One bull,	25 00	
One swine,	10 00	
		<hr/> \$785 00

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED.

Twenty-three tons English hay,	\$460 00	
Grain and feed,	26 00	
Four tons salt hay,	40 00	
One-half ton rye straw,	10 00	
		<hr/> 536 00
Twenty-four cords manure,	\$132 00	
Fifty-six cords wood,	252 00	
		<hr/> 384 00

Vehicles and harnesses,	\$250 00	
Farm tools, etc.,	350 00	
Household goods,	800 00	
Thirteen tons coal,	73 45	
Groceries and provisions,	125 65	
	<hr/>	\$1,599 10

ALMSHOUSE INMATES, FEBRUARY 1, 1898.

Annie Fitzgerald,	67 years.
Annette Mayo,	45 "
Walter Mayo,	36 "
Roy Thomas Mayo,	6 "
Richard Stack (board refunded),	80 "
Mrs. J. H. Clements,	77 "
Mrs. Lydia Putnam,	84 "
George Wilder,	74 "
Edward Putnam,	87 "
Thos. Sullivan,	58 "
Mrs. Thos. Sullivan,	48 "
John Curran,	68 "
Henry Curran,	27 "
Daniel Sullivan, Feb. 1 to Nov. 29,	13 "
Mrs. M. J. Skully, April 20,	67 "
Walter Tuttle, April 28 to June 4,	49 "
William Conway, Nov. 22,	73 "

REPORT
OF THE
MUNICIPAL LIGHT BOARD
OF THE
TOWN OF WAKEFIELD,
1897-98.

REPORT OF MUNICIPAL LIGHT BOARD.

The fourth annual report of the Municipal Light Board is herewith respectfully presented to the citizens of Wakefield, together with the Manager's report, and a perusal of the latter, with the figures as given in detail, will, it is believed, furnish such information as those interested in the lighting plant may require, leaving but little for the Board to say except in the way of the needed appropriations for the coming year.

EXTENSION OF GAS PLANT.

At the beginning of the year the balance unexpended from this account was \$5.76. This account has been closed and the gas end of the plant is now in so good a condition that no appropriation is asked for in this direction.

EXTENSION OF GAS MAINS.

The balance available at the beginning of the year for extending gas mains and purchasing meters was \$488.98; this has been expended as shown elsewhere, and there are no funds now appropriated for this purpose. As has been stated before, increase in gas output should be encouraged as offering profitable returns for the investment made, and as applications are pending for extensions through the Park section and elsewhere, an appropriation of \$3,000 is recommended for this purpose, with the required guarantee being furnished.

EXTENSION OF ELECTRIC LINES.

One thousand dollars was appropriated for the purpose of extending electric lines, purchasing transformers and meters last year and has been expended as detailed elsewhere, the increasing patronage for electric lights and continued demand for the same, emphasizes the need of an appropriation to enable the town to secure such business, and one thousand dollars is recommended therefor.

GENERAL EXPENSES.

The balance unexpended at the beginning of the year was \$430.77. We asked for \$3,500 and the income of the plant, and stated there would be, in our opinion, quite a balance left over at the end of the year. The surplus was actually needed in order to pay bills promptly and purchase coal for cash at the time prices and freight rates were the most favorable. It is therefore very gratifying to be able to say that the balance of \$2,102.13 remains unexpended at the close of the year, so that an appropriation of only \$2,000 is asked for in addition to the income from the plant for general expenses.

THE RESULT.

A careful analysis of the figures found in the manager's report will doubtless furnish all that is required in the way of results, and these figures prove the claims made by the board the first year, that it would not be so very long before the plant would be self-sustaining and even profitable, notwithstanding its unreasonable cost at the outset. The truth of this claim is well shown by a comparison of the net cost of the lights for the past three years.

	Cost aside from interest.	Cost including interest.
Year ending Jan. 31, 1896,	\$3,402 91	\$10,562 91
Year ending Jan. 31, 1897,	2,649 43	9,689 43
Year ending Jan. 31, 1898,	1,708 96	8,628 96

This result we believe should be highly satisfactory to the taxpayers, and it has been obtained by operating the works on business principles, with efficient management and a care for the little details as well as the larger items. The works and appliances are kept in good repair; fire, accident and boiler insurance, and inspection maintained; a better quality of gas furnished than ever before, and a higher test than has been found in any other coal gas in the Commonwealth for the past three years, and a continued saving may be expected each year with proper management and care.

Several of the residents have visited the plant the past year, and it is hoped they were sufficiently interested to come again. Every citizen has a perfect right to feel that he is welcome to come to his own at any time, and the manager will gladly receive such callers at any time.

The board will continue to meet as formerly on Tuesday evenings, and requests or recommendations may be presented, or bills paid.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. SPENCER,

ELROY N. HEATH,

CURTIS L. SOPHER, M. D.,

Municipal Light Board.

MANAGER'S REPORT.

MESSRS. CHARLES H. SPENCER, *Chairman.*

ELROY N. HEATH AND CURTIS L. SOPHER.

Municipal Light Board, Town of Wakefield:

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor of presenting the fourth annual report as manager of the Municipal Light Plant, for year ending January 31, 1898.

The town now has operated its gas and electric plant for three and one-half years, and I think a comparison for the three full years will be of interest to our tax payers. There has been no complaint as to the hours the streets have been lighted, or as to the quality of the light furnished, and it has been stated by several persons that we have one of the best lighted towns in New England, and I think it safe to say that there is no town that has had less lights reported out, or has had less complaints of poor service than we have.

COST OF MAINTAINING PLANT.

FROM JANUARY 31, 1895, TO JANUARY 31, 1896.

Electric manufacturing account, expenses, . . .	\$11,848 06
" " income, . . .	4,711 58
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Cost of operating electric Dept., . . .	\$7,136 48
Gas manufacturing account, income, . . .	\$14,054 01
" " expense, . . .	10,320 44
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	\$3,733 57
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Cost to town, operating both gas and electric, . . .	\$3,402 91
Interest account for year, . . .	7,160 00
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Total net cost to town, . . .	\$10,562 91

Operating per lamp per year,	\$23 47
Interest " "	49 38

Total cost per lamp per year, \$72 85

FROM JANUARY 31, 1896, TO JANUARY 31, 1897.

Electric manufacturing account, expense, .	\$12,130 78
" " " income, .	5,120 37

Cost operating Electric Dept., . . . \$7,010 41

Gas manufacturing account, income, .	\$13,945 98
" " " expense, .	9,585 00
	<hr/> \$4,360 98

Cost to town, operating both gas and electric,	\$2,649 43
Interest account for year,	7,040 00

Total net cost to town, . . . \$9,689 43

Operating per lamp per year. \$18 27

Interest " " . . . 48 55

Total cost " " . \$66 82

FROM JANUARY 31, 1897, TO JANUARY 31, 1898.

Electric manufacturing account, expense, .	\$11,845 17
" " " income, .	5,517 31

Cost operating Electric Dept., . . . \$6,327 86

Gas manufacturing account, income, .	\$13,530 54
" " " expense, .	8,911 64
	<hr/> \$4,618 90

Cost to town, operating both gas and electric,	\$1,708 96
Interest account for year,	\$6,920 00

Total net cost, \$8,628 96

Operating per lamp per year, . . . \$11 79

Interest " " . . . 47 72

Total cost per lamp per year, . . . \$59 51

The total cost to the town for arc lights (145) for the past year was \$8,628.96.

Cost per lamp per year.	\$59 51
“ “ “ month,	4 96
“ “ “ night,	0 208
“ “ “ hour,	0 0429

Depreciation not taken into account.

The street lights have been run on all dark nights until 12.15 o'clock, also mornings from 5 o'clock to daylight, from November 15 to March 15, and during the year they have run a total of 286 nights, or 1,386½ hours. Had we followed the moon strictly we would have run only 256 nights, or 1,206 hours.

There have been applications for more lights, but, as stated before, we are running the arc dynamos to their full capacity, and could not grant requests.

Again I am glad to say that there has been no accident to oblige us to shut down the arc lights.

On the evening of January 29, 1898, the shaft on alternating engine broke and we shut down at 12.30. We did not run on Sunday night, January 30, but on the 31st they were all running again. This is the only accident we have had during the year.

The only extension of street alternating lines have been made on Elm street, from Railroad street to Elm square, and Avon street, across Main street to Flanley's block. We have added a number of new consumers and all we were obliged to do was to run new supplies, put up transformers and set meters. We have added 31 during the past year.

Number electric consumers, Jan. 31, 1897,	104
“ “ “ added,	31
“ “ “ discontinued,	14
“ “ “ Jan. 31, 1898.	121
Number lamps wired, Jan. 31, 1897,	2,300
“ “ “ added during year,	402
“ “ “ Jan. 31, 1898,	2,702

Number meters in use Jan. 31, 1897,	91
“ “ added,	33
“ “ removed,	16
“ “ changed,	10
“ “ in use Jan. 31, 1898,	108

The alternating lights have run a total of 4,540 1-3 hours.

We have had both of the engine cylinders bored out and new pistons put in; also taken down the steam piping over boilers and had it thoroughly repaired, and new pipe put up where needed, and have covered all steam pipes to save condensation. This cost about \$500. We have added to the plant, engine indicator, recording steam pressure gauge, water meter and water temperature test, and now we are able to tell how much power we are using for arc light, alternating lights and steam furnished to gas department, how much coal for horse power hour, and a record of steam pressure at all times; also the water evaporated, and the temperature it enters boilers.

When alternating engine is running the water enters boilers at 208 degrees; when both alternating and arc engines are running, at 210 degrees.

Average indicated horse power from arc engine, 107. The indicated horse power from alternating engine varies from 26 at the lightest load to 68½ horse power at the heaviest load; average for all night about 34 horse power. Coal used has averaged about 4¾ lbs. per horse power hour, and water evaporated about 9½ lbs. per pound of coal used. Steam coal used during year, 901½ tons.

I would recommend that the alternating lines and the gas mains be extended when the required guarantee is made and when in the best judgment of the board such extensions will warrant a fair increase in the business, for such extensions mean income to the plant and will reduce the cost of street lighting.

As will be seen, the increase in the sales of gas in Wakefield for the past two years was 959,700 feet, or 24.21 per cent, which was largely due to extensions made. In 1896 the increase was 14.87 per cent, while in 1897 it was only 9.34 per cent. During the past year only small extensions were made. There

have been no street wires run or gas mains laid where the guarantee has been called for, as in all cases the bills amounted to more than the guarantee.

We have supplied Reading with gas, but the past year they have only used 1,433,900 feet. The previous year we supplied them with 1,741,400 feet, showing a decrease of 307,500 feet, or 17.65 per cent.

Gas manufactured during year.	7,470,000 feet.
Gas accounted for	6,525,200 feet.
Gas unaccounted for	944,800 feet.

Or a loss of 12.64 per cent.

Gas coal used during the year was 712 tons.

The candle power of gas furnished, tested by the state gas inspector, was: highest, 20 3-10 candles; lowest, 18.0 candles; average, 18 9-10; 20 3-10 candle power is the highest given any coal gas company in the state for the past three years.

Gas mains extended during year:

Otis street, to corner of Pleasant street.	120 ft. 4-in. pipe
Pleasant street, from Otis street, north,	196 " 4 "
Elm street, from Railroad street, north,	1,683 " 4 "
Avon street,	60 " 2 "

Total.	2,059 feet.
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Number gas consumers January 31, 1897.	222
" " added during year.	38
" " discontinued "	20
" " January 31, 1898,	240
Increase during year,	18
Number gas meters in use January 31, 1897,	253
" " set during year,	54
" " removed "	35
" " changed "	15
" " in use January 31. 1898,	272
Increase during year,	19

We have taken care of the oil lights and the expense for doing so will be found elsewhere in this report, which was taken from appropriation of running expenses. They have been lighted.

as has always been the custom, when the moon set before 9 o'clock, or did not rise before 9 o'clock in the evening.

I think the plant is in better condition now than it has been at any time since the town took control.

GENERAL EXPENSES.

Balance unexpended Feb. 1, 1897,	\$430 77	
Appropriation, April 5, 1897,	3,500 00	
	<hr/>	\$3,930 77

Income and receipts as turned over to town treasurer, as follows :

Received from sale of electricity and gas, residuals, miscellaneous sales and guaran- tee deposits,	\$18,111 63	
Insurance, returned premiums received,	180 00	
	<hr/>	18,291 63
		<hr/>
		\$22,222 40

Expended as follows :

ELECTRIC.

Steam plant,	\$219 27
Electric lines,	9 72
Transformers,	1 05
Tools,	134 00
Incandescent lamps,	107 40
Jobbing-electric,	133 95
Steam coal,	3,000 86
Carbons,	277 50
Oil and waste,	106 57
Globes,	42 78
Repairs, steam plant,	793 77
“ electric plant,	79 21
“ arc lamps,	253 19
“ electric lines,	692 64
“ real estate,	4 92
“ electric station,	80
General salaries, including distribution wages,	1,589 70
Station wages,	2,472 25

Care arc lights,	\$1,253 25	
Sundry materials,	1 25	
	<hr/>	\$11,174 08

GAS.

Real estate,	\$6 75	
Machinery and manufacturing appliances,	2 18	
Gas mains,	5 13	
Gas meters,	12 70	
Tools,	53 94	
Gas stoves,	157 00	
Jobbing gas,	224 25	
Gas coal,	2,424 54	
Gas oil,	98 35	
Purifying,	8 05	
Repairs, gas mains,	364 35	
" gas meters,	58 95	
" at works,	187 94	
" of benches,	34 00	
" real estate,	2 40	
General salaries, including distribution wages,	1,004 20	
Wages works,	2,191 00	
" meter takers,	84 00	
Coke, teaming,	95 70	
Tar barrels,	43 00	
Sundry materials,	17 60	
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IN GENERAL.

Office furniture and fixtures,	\$43 65
Horses and wagons,	63 50
Care of grounds,	59 00
Stable expenses,	362 25
Hay and grain,	201 80
General expense,	78 73
General office expense,	60 01
Postage and envelopes,	69 20
Printing and stationery,	142 26

Insurance,	\$524 37	
Oil lights,	265 39	
	<hr/>	\$1,870 16
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		\$20,120 27
Balance unexpended,		2,102 13
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		\$22,222 40

EXTENSION GAS MAINS.

Balance unexpended, Feb. 1, 1897,		\$488 98
Expended as follows:		
Gas mains (\$5.13 additional taken from general appropriation),	\$305 03	
Gas meters (\$12.70 additional taken from general appropriation),	183 95	
	<hr/>	\$488 98

EXTENSION GAS PLANT.

Balance unexpended, Feb. 1, 1897,		\$5 76
Expended as follows:		
Repairs at works,		<u>\$5 76</u>

EXTENSION ELECTRIC LINES.

Appropriation, Nov. 15, 1897,		\$1,000 00
Expended as follows:		
Electric lines (\$9.72 additional taken from general appropriation),	\$456 27	
Electric meters,	229 50	
Transformers (\$1.05 additional taken from general appropriation),	314 23	
	<hr/>	<u>\$1,000 00</u>

RECAPITULATION OF EXPENDITURES.

Municipal Light Plant, general expenses, \$20,120 27	
“ “ “ ext. gas mains,	488 98
“ “ “ “ plant	5 76
“ “ “ ext. electric lines,	1,000 00
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	\$21,615 01

Expended as follows :

C. H. Spencer, lumber,	\$15 80
Standard Carbon Co., carbons,	277 50
Geo. H. Taylor, hardware, etc.,	51 62
D. W. Hunt, teaming,	25 20
Geo. H. Hathaway, harness repairs,	8 15
Cutler Bros., hay, grain, etc.,	216 00
Waldo Bros., brick, cement, etc.,	91 14
E. W. Remick, blacksmithing,	7 30
Giles & Tupper, "	21 75
J. M. Perley, lime,	20 80
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service,	96 53
McIntosh Bros., wagon repairs,	23 45
F. W. Pierce, expressing,	4 45
Liberty Oil Co., oil,	182 86
General Electric Co., electric supplies,	184 43
Buckeye Electric Co., incandescent lamps,	83 37
Francis Doane & Co., stationery,	22 72
Braman, Dow & Co., pipe and fittings,	193 97
M. P. Foster, printing and stationery,	99 50
American Gas Light Journal, Gas Light Journal,	3 00
Edward Kendall & Sons, boiler parts,	25 10
Morrill & Atwood, hay,	18 31
W. K. Niver & Co., coal,	1,983 89
Westinghouse Elec. & Mfg. Co., electric meters,	153 00
Boston & Maine R. R. Co., freight,	916 21
McIntosh, Seymour & Co., engine parts,	33 56
J. M. Curley, hay and grain,	15 00
Anchor Electric Co., electric supplies,	110 84
M. T. Davidson, steam pump parts,	22 35
John Flanley, burlap, etc.,	8 05
E. B. Stillings & Co., printing,	8 50
Brand Stove Co., gas stove,	34 50
Curran & Burton, coal,	685 90

Wakefield Rattan Co., tar barrels, etc., . . .	\$38 20
Jenkins Bros., valves, etc.,	3 55
Geo. H. Meader, boring and repairing engine,	321 30
A. D. Oxley, wood work,	3 60
W. W. Bessie, horse hire,	2 00
Elroy N. Heath, desk,	20 00
C. Latimer, expressing,	5 65
S. T. Parker, flower beds,	5 00
Smart & Spencer, damper parts,	3 00
Mansfield & Cheney, coal,	1,755 80
Leland Belting Co., waste,	9 72
Henry B. Worthington, steam pump parts,	32 94
Wm. H. Gallison, steam repairs, indicator, etc.,	340 25
Chester W. Eaton, insurance,	100 00
Denis Greaney, bricks,	5 00
Fostoria Incandescent Lamp Co., incandescent lamps,	5 93
Jas. W. Poole, incandescent lamps,	4 25
Cotton & Woolen Mfgs'. Mutual Insurance Co., insurance,	240 00
Sawyer-Mann Electric Co., incandescent lamps,	11 50
Knowles Steam Pump Co., packing,	1 40
L. A. Chase & Co., arc lamp parts,	3 57
S. E. Ryder & Co., corks, etc.,	10 15
David & Farnum Mfg. Co., pipe,	38 17
Wakefield Water Co., hydrant service,	35 00
Boston Gas Appliance Exchange, gas stoves,	117 65
Geo. E. Adams, waste,	19 60
John Power, bungs,	1 20
Chas. F. Hartshorne & Son, insurance,	149 37
Geo. E. Smith, carpentering,	8 00
A. B. Woodman, horse shoeing, etc.,	37 95
E. I. Purrington, machine work,	22 25

Nathanial Tufts Meter Co., gas meters, .	\$240 75
Simplex Electrical Co., wire and tape, .	338 12
C. S. Knowles, arc lamp locks,	15 00
Ft. Wayne Electric Co., electric met- ers,	69 95
Stanley Electric Mfg. Co., transformers, .	310 87
Chandler, Farquhar & Co., hardware, .	12 01
Petty cash, postage, envelopes, etc., .	223 66
Chas. Spaulding, manager, \$1,800 per yr.,	1,756 50
Fred A. Swain, clerk, \$70.00 per mo., .	837 40
W. E. Oakes, engineer, \$3.00 per day, .	1,014 00
Jas. L. Freelove, electrician, \$2.50 day,	925 00
Patrick McLaughlin, gas foreman, \$3.00 per day,	1,092 00
Daniel Maher, stoker, \$2.00 per day, .	728 00
Daniel Sheehy, stoker, \$2.00 per day, .	724 00
Patrick Desmond, gas helper and fireman, \$2.00 per day,	647 00
Patrick Griffin, general helper, \$2.00 per day,	518 00
James Griffin, general helper, \$2.00 per day,	224 00
W. E. Hagan, lineman, \$2.50 per day, .	910 00
Paul E. Lane, lineman, trimmer and patrol, \$2.00 per day,	728 00
Louis F. Low, trimmer and patrol, \$1.75 per day,	637 00
Fred N. Lord, trimmer and patrol, \$1.75 per day,	140 00
Geo. D. McIntyre, fireman, \$2.00 per day,	118 00
John Connor, laborer, 20c per hour,	18 00
Alexander McDonald, " "	66 20
Patrick Keife, " "	15 00
James Regan, " "	7 00
Michael Foley, " "	2 00
Dennis O'Connell, " "	22 00
Samuel Harris, " "	19 00
Eugene Lowney, " "	2 00

Wm. Hennessey,	laborer, 20c. per hour,	\$1 80
Martin Glynn,	" "	17 00
John Sliney,	" "	23 70
Patrick Harney,	" "	13 80
John Drugan,	" "	1 00
Michael Curran,	" "	18 00
Patrick Curran,	" "	5 00
Arthur Johnson,	" "	6 20
Horace Hale,	" "	9 00
Morris Welsh,	" "	64 20
John McNally,	" "	22 30
John Curran,	" "	13 00
Dennis Murphy,	" "	9 00
John Reid,	" "	11 00
Thomas Donovan,	" "	9 00
Frank Kelley,	" "	9 00
Wm. Hourihan,	" "	2 00
John Finn,	" "	7 00
Andrew Weary,	" "	1 00
Jas. Weary,	" "	7 00
Michael Harty,	" "	7 00
William Scanlan,	" "	80
		<hr/> \$21,615 01

ELECTRIC MANUFACTURING ACCOUNT.

EXPENSES.		RECEIPTS.	
Coal,	\$3,249 18	Sales electricity, . .	\$4,541 40
Carbons,	254 50	“ steam,	600 00
Oil and waste,	109 50	Inc. lamps sales, . .	94 23
Globes,	44 42	“ “ inventory, . . .	45 94
Repairs steam plant, . .	806 72	Jobbing acct.—sales, .	230 18
“ electric “	75 40	“ “ inventory, . . .	5 56
“ arc lamps,	219 30	Balance. loss,	6,327 86
“ electric lines,	685 71		
“ real estate,	4 92		
“ electric station, . . .	80		
“ tools,	24 06		
Sundry materials, . . .	1 25		
General salaries, including distribu-			
tion wages,	1,589 70		
Station wages,	2,472 25		
Care of lights,	1,253 25		
Care of grounds,	29 50		
Stable expense,	315 06		
General office ex-			
pense,	204 27		
Insurance,	204 16		
Inc. lamps,	136 38		
Jobbing account,	164 84		
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	\$11,845 17		
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			\$11,845 17

GAS MANUFACTURING ACCOUNT.

EXPENSES.	RECEIPTS.
Coal, \$2,619 98	Gas sales,
Steam, 600 00	gross, \$12,181 24
Enrichers, 95 85	Less dis-
Purifying, 2 65	counts, 1,023 98
Sundry materials, . 17 60	————— \$11,157 26
Repairs, gas mains, 380 07	Gas stoves, sales, . . . 125 75
“ “ meters, 58 95	“ inventory, 38 50
“ at works, . 199 70	Jobbing account,
“ benches, . 27 95	sales, . . . 311 39
“ real estate, 2 40	Jobbing account,
“ tools, . 8 60	inventory, . . . 95 84
Gen'l salaries, in-	Coke, sales, . . . 686 35
cluding distribu-	“ inventory, . . . 50 00
tion wages, . . 1,004 20	Tar, sales, . . . 797 45
Wages, works, . 2,191 00	“ inventory, . . . 268 00
“ meter takers, 84 00	
Care of grounds, . 29 50	
Stable expense, . 157 53	
General office ex-	
pense, . . . 204 27	
Insurance, . . . 204 16	
Gas stoves, . . . 177 00	
Jobbing account, . 344 63	
Coke. 170 70	
Tar, 330 90	
Balance gain, . 4,618 90	
<hr/> \$13,530 54	<hr/> \$13,530 54

OIL LIGHTS.

EXPENSES.		RECEIPTS.	
Inv., Feb. 1, '97, .	\$15 78	Kerosene oil sold, .	\$12 12
Labor,	217 00	Inv., Feb. 1, '98, .	13 27
Stable expense, .	157 54	Balance loss, .	413 32
Kerosene oil, . .	35 93		
Chimneys, . . .	10 20		
Wicks,	46		
Matches,	1 80		
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\$438 71		\$438 71	

ASSETS.		LIABILITIES.	
Cash on hand as follows :		Bonds,	\$171,000 00
At works,	\$137 63	Accrued interest, .	2,280 00
At town treasury :		Guarantee deposits, .	127 00
Balance general ap-		Balance,	8,590 48
propriation, . . .	2,102 13	<hr/>	
Balance from bonds		\$181,997 48	
not yet appropri-			
ated,	213 15		
Real estate, gas, .	17,823 22		
Mch. and Mfg. ap-			
propriation, gas, .	38,632 52		
Gas mains,	24,378 10		
Gas meters,	3,523 57		
Tools, gas (Inv.), .	428 91		
Steam plant,	20,951 29		
Real estate, electric, .	17,298 08		
Electric plant, . . .	15,536 10		
Electric lines, . . .	25,002 27		
Arc lamps,	4,456 18		
Transformers,	3,298 05		
Electric meters, . . .	2,015 72		
Tools, electric (Inv.), .	447 82		
Office furniture and			
fixtures (Inv.), . .	242 75		

Horses and wagons	
(Inv.), . . .	\$476 50
Coal gas (Inv.), .	758 64
Enrichers, " .	17 25
Gas stoves, " .	38 50
Coke, " .	50 00
Tar, " .	268 00
Purifying material	
(Inv.), . . .	20 40
Jobbing, gas material	
(Inv.), . . .	95 84
Repair materials,	
gas (Inv.), .	19 95
Coal, steam (Inv.),	132 01
Carbons (Inv.), .	85 75
Oil and waste (Inv.),	33 44
Incandescent lamps	
(Inv.), . . .	45 94
Globes (Inv.), .	25 86
Jobbing, electric ma-	
terial (Inv.), .	5 56
Repair material, elec-	
tric (Inv.), .	284 27
Hay and grain (Inv.),	22 67
Oil lights (Inv.), .	13 27
Insurance, (unex-	
pired) (Inv.), .	376 09
Sundry debtors, .	105 69
Electric consumers,	894 42
Gas consumers, .	1,739 94

\$181,997 48

LIST OF UNPAID BILLS, JANUARY 31, 1898.

New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.,	\$22 73	
Waldo Bros.,	3 00	
Francis Doane & Co.,	5 35	
Davis & Farnum Mfg. Co.,	15 00	
Akron Iron and Steel Co.,	4 58	
Braman, Dow & Co.,	13 85	
Geo. H. Hathaway,	75	
J. M. Perley,	1 80	
A. B. Woodman,	1 40	
Cutler Bros.,	6 90	
Giles & Tupper,	5 00	
Geo. H. Taylor,	3 35	
	<hr/>	\$83 71

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES S. SPAULDING,

Manager.

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN.

The Selectmen submit to the citizens of the town the annual report of their official acts during the year, commencing March 1, 1897, and ending March 6, 1898.

As an introductory remark, they regret to report that the year apparently closes as it commenced, with a marked depression in the business conditions of the country, and a manifest need of confidence among business men in their financial relations with each other; but amid these unfavorable and discouraging circumstances, they are pleased to note, that the public peace and good order of society and a reasonable observance and submission to the laws of the land have been observed and maintained by the citizens of the town during the closing year. They would also respectfully refer the citizens to the reports of the officers connected with the different municipal departments to ascertain the amount of receipts and expenditures, and the methods of managing and conducting the business of the town by its official servants.

ACTIONS AT LAW.

HANGLIN CASE.

The town, Nov. 30, 1896, acting under article 15 in the warrant, "To see if the town will appropriate five hundred dollars to pay Jeremiah J. Hanglin for personal injuries received by him while in the employ of the town, or what it will do about it," voted, "That the selectmen be instructed to pay Mr. Hanglin five hundred dollars and take his release therefor, provided *they can legally do so.*" The selectmen of last year stated in their report the circumstances which prevented them from taking action in the case, and transmitted it to the present Board. Mr. Hanglin brought an action against the town Oct. 15, 1894, to recover

damages for personal injuries received Dec. 28, 1893, by a rock falling upon him while in the service of the town, and alleged that the accident occurred through carelessness and negligence of the town by its agents or servants.

The town denied its liability or responsibility for the accident as alleged, and Jan. 28, 1896, the case was tried in the Superior Court at Cambridge and a verdict obtained for the town by order of Court. Mr. Hanglin neglected to improve his legal rights to have that "Order of Court" affirmed, if right, or annulled if wrong, by the Supreme Court; therefore judgment was entered on the verdict. It is a fixed principle of law, that towns have the authority to appropriate money to pay their debts and to settle disputed claims, but have not the power to provide money for gratuitous purposes. The fact was established by a judicial decision, which decision has not been reversed, that Mr. Hanglin had no legal claim against the town in this action; therefore the payment to him of five hundred dollars as provided by the article in the warrant would not be made in settlement of an existing debt, or to compromise and adjust a disputed claim, but to provide a gratuity for him on account of his financial condition and the misfortune he sustained by the accident, which payment would evidently be in direct violation of law and contrary to the instructions contained in the vote. If the selectmen could have acted on the principles of benevolence and sympathy, payment would not have been refused.

ATHERTON CASE.

Nov. 23, 1896, the town acting upon a report of a committee. in town-meeting assembled, instructed the selectmen to bring an action at law against the Wakefield Water Company to recover from said company twenty-five hundred dollars paid by the town to Mrs. Susan M. Atherton, as damages for personal injuries she received by a defect in the public highway, which defect the town maintains was caused by the careless and negligent work of the company. The town to maintain this action must prove that the company was notified before the settlement of the Atherton case that the town intended to hold the company responsible for the defect and for all damages recovered against the town.

Before the settlement of the Atherton case. Mr. Upton, then a member of the Board of Selectmen, called at Mr. Towle's office in Boston, who was counsel for the town in the case, and requested him to serve upon the company the required notice. Subsequently he received from him the following letter:

Boston, May 11, 1896.

Hon. E. A. Upton,
28 School St., Boston.

Dear Sir,—Mr. Ranney asked me to notify you that I had requested the Wakefield Water Co. to come in and defend the action of Atherton against the town. I have delivered such notice to Mr. Hamilton, president of the company.

Yours truly,

GEORGE H. TOWLE.

Mr. Ranney was counsel for Mrs. Atherton. In the examination for evidence to prove service of the notice, inquiries were made of Mr. Hamilton if any service had been made upon him and he most positively denied that he had ever received or heard of any notice and the notice never had been served upon the company to his knowledge and belief, and no evidence could be found to prove the fact. It is unnecessary to consider other material questions in the case difficult to prove, for the one mentioned is sufficient to defeat the action; therefore the Selectmen did not consider it advisable to take any legal measures until further instructed by the town.

HUNT CASE.

Albert W. Hunt commenced an action against the town November 26, 1894, to recover damages for personal injuries received by falling into a cellar which was not sufficiently guarded, situated near the boundry line of Church street, and obtained judgment in May, 1897, for twenty-five hundred dollars damages and one hundred and eighty-five dollars and seventy-five cents costs of court. Total sum paid by the town in this case was three thousand, five hundred, seven dollars and forty cents. It is to be regretted that so large a sum of money should be required to pay for injuries produced by any cause, when five dollars expended in filling up the cellar at the proper time would have prevented it.

EAGER CASE.

Philip Eager brought an action against the town several years since to recover damages for personal injuries received by a defect on Lake street. The action was settled at the June term of the Superior court, 1897, the entry being made on the court record, "neither party."

ANDERSON CASE.

Elof Anderson claimed that he was personally injured falling from a bicycle by reason of a defect in the highway and sued the town to recover damages. The case was tried in the district court at Malden and judgment rendered for the town; execution issued against the plaintiff for thirty dollars costs, which remains unpaid.

PENDING CASES.

Hattie M. Chamberlain and Mary E. Rice each commenced separate actions May 29, 1894, against the town to recover damages for personal injuries received by a defect on Gould street. Damages claimed, \$2,000 each.

John Drugan also has an action against the town for the same cause by a defect on Vernon street. Writ dated September 7, 1897. Damages claimed, \$4,000.

Mary L. Maxwell claims damages against the town in the sum of \$1,000 caused by the overflow of surface water on her land. Writ dated May 7, 1897.

STREET DRAINS.

Numerous complaints have been made to the selectmen during the year and some of them very pronounced, concerning the defective and unsuitable conditions of many of the drains which convey the surface water from our public highways. The useless condition of the drain located at the intersection of Pleasant and Sweetser streets has for a long time been the source of trouble and annoyance to the citizens living in that locality and a threatening detriment to the public highways and had frequently been called to the attention of the town and referred to different com-

mittees, but no definite and practical action had been taken until the present board of selectmen instructed the road commissioner to put the drain in good working order, which he did to the satisfaction of all interested parties. The drain situated on West Chestnut street, near Cedar street, which conveyed the surface water from those streets and streets adjacent was closed by the action of nature and the cussedness of man to such an extent that the water flowed into the yards and cellars of the citizens living along the line of those streets in this locality and liable to wash deep gullies in the highways, rendering them unsafe and dangerous for public travel. The selectmen considered the condition of the drain and the circumstances relative to it of sufficient public interest to act without delay; therefore, they employed Mr. James A. Bancroft, civil engineer, to make the necessary surveys, measurements and plans for the purpose of relocating, reconstructing and repairing the drain nearly its entire length, that the water might flow without interruption. The selectmen in their report recommended to the town the plans, surveys and method of repairing the drain as prepared by Mr. Bancroft, and requested the town to adopt them and also to appropriate a sum of money sufficient to defray the construction expenses, but the town refused to grant either request, and the selectmen took no further action. The drain which conveyed the surface water flowing down the northerly side of Prospect street into Quannapowitt Lake was entirely closed by Mr. Carlton building a private street over it in his own land, through which the drain was laid. The closing of the drain forced the water into Prospect and Elm streets and the premises of the citizens living in this locality. As the drains were similar in condition the selectmen adopted the same means and pursued the same course of action to restore the drain on Elm street to its former position as they did with the drain on West Chestnut street, and their report was alike fated by the town, therefore, the surface water continues to flow wherever it can find its level. The selectmen are confident that the public will require these drains to be reconstructed at an early day, according to the plans and surveys prepared by Mr. Bancroft and now on file in the office of the selectmen.

SEWAGE DISPOSAL.

The town was notified last summer by the board of health, through the selectmen, that the drain pipes which convey the sewage from the engine house, situated on Crescent street, into the Centre pond, and those also which carry the sewage from the town house into the same locality, must be closed, as the pond had become a public nuisance by the disposal of sewage, and the official mandate contained the further notice that the order must be obeyed within thirty days from date or the town would be summoned into court to answer to a complaint for maintaining a common nuisance in violation of law. The terms of the order relating to the engine house were readily and cheerfully obeyed by closing the old drain pipes and laying new ones, which conveyed the sewage from the building into a cesspool which the town had recently constructed. The sanitary arrangements now in use at the town house, the unfavorable location of the building, over low and boggy lands, the limited time allowed by the order for closing the drains, rendered it very probable, if not fully certain, that the order relating to the town house could not be obeyed, therefore, for a time, appearances strongly indicated, if the penalty in the order was to be enforced, that the citizens of the town would answer in court to the complaint of maintaining a common nuisance in violation of law.

But it was not necessary to proceed by legal measures, for more peaceful counsel prevailed. The subject was to be further considered and time extended. The selectmen issued general and special invitations to the citizens connected in the various departments of business to meet the selectmen in the Town House, and mutually to examine, discuss and consider the subject of sewage disposal within certain limits of the centre of the town. A large number of the business and influential citizens assembled at the time and place appointed, the meeting was duly organized, and after the subject had been practically and enthusiastically considered, necessary measures were adopted, and a committee chosen to have the subject well prepared for the action of the town at the annual meeting next March.

The selectmen believe that the time has come and now is, when the centre pond should no longer be used as a cesspool for

sewage disposal. Its present condition renders it in all seasons of the year, and more especially during the heated term, very offensive to all people who breathe the impure air, or smell the foul odors which proceed from the venomous source of pollution floating on the surface and laying at the bottom of the pond. The law provides that the legal voters of a town may accept a system of sewerage for a part or the whole of its territory, and it is a self evident fact that the centre portions of the town within certain limits require a new system of sewerage. Many of the out-laying towns within a short radius of Boston, whose geographical positions, population, and valuation correspond to Wakefield, have provided for a certain section of their territory different systems of sewage disposal, which furnishes convenient means to ascertain by examination and secure the best system adapted to meet the necessities and requirements of the town.

STATE HIGHWAY.

A petition signed by the citizens of Wakefield was presented to the Middlesex County Commissioners in January, 1892, requesting that Nahant street, from Main street to Saugus line, should be straightened, boundary lines relocated and otherwise repaired, and in 1894 a decree was made granting the request and January, 1898, was the time limited in the decree for completing the work. Damages to the various land owners was estimated in the aggregate sum of twelve hundred and sixty-one dollars, and fifteen hundred dollars was the County's proportional part of the whole expense as stated in the decree. It will cost, according to the opinion of competent men, ten thousand dollars to place the street in condition required by the specification, surveys and plans. Work was commenced, but soon after discontinued, and nothing of importance has been accomplished.

Under these existing circumstances, the selectmen considered the present time favorable for the purpose to petition the State Highway Commission for a public State road in Wakefield. Accordingly a petition was prepared and presented, requesting that a State public highway might be located and built, commencing at the boundary line between Wakefield and Reading on Railroad street, and extended easterly along said street to Main

street near the Junction crossing, Main street, and continue the entire length of Nahant street to Saugus line. At the hearing of the petition several citizens appeared who briefly and concisely stated the public needs and requirements as set forth in the petition and supported their statement by plans and surveys of the entire route finely executed by Mr. James A. Bancroft. If the prayer of the petitioners is granted the town will be relieved of an expensive and undesirable piece of work and of bearing a heavy financial burden.

SALEM STREET.

The selectmen, at the request of the citizens residing in the Montrose district, petitioned the county commissioners to re-establish the boundary lines on Salem street, straighten, widen and otherwise repair said street from Main street to Lynnfield line. The necessary surveys have been made, plans drawn and measurements taken and the work will probably commence in early spring.

JORDAN AVENUE.

This avenue was constructed under the direction and supervision of Solon Walton, highway surveyor, in a thorough, well performed manner, and is considered one of the best and most satisfactory public highways in town.

NEW STREETS.

The selectmen have received several petitions for the laying out and constructing new streets, and have heard the reasons and arguments of those who favored and opposed the granting of said petitions. The selectmen will make their reports at the annual town meeting, which reports will be considered under the rules and regulations adopted by the town, in such cases made and provided.

TOWN COUNSEL.

The selectmen were empowered by the town, at the annual meeting in March, 1897, to employ a town counsel for the ensuing year at an annual salary of \$300. Mr. E. A. Upton was unanimously chosen and he has rendered acceptable and satisfac-

tory service. We believe this is the first time the town has employed counsel for a year's service since its organization, and we are of the opinion that the method should continue in practice, for the officers of the various departments can have the privilege and right at all times to consult and obtain the advice of the counsel upon legal matters connected with their branch of the municipal government without hesitation or undue anxiety about amount of the future bill for legal services.

INSURANCE.

The following mentioned policies of insurance expire during the year:

Town farm building, \$2,000, expires ———	
Hamilton school building, \$3,000, expires Dec. 15.	
“ “ \$3,000, “ Dec. 15.	
High school building, \$2,500, “ March 1.	
“ “ \$2,500, “ March 1.	
“ “ \$5,000, “ April 7.	
Franklin school building, \$2,000, “ April 7.	
Treasurer's bond, \$25,000, “ April 1.	
Collector's bond, \$15,000, “ July 25.	

It will be necessary to raise and appropriate \$363.45 to pay the premiums for renewed policies. Also to raise and appropriate \$200 to pay the premiums on treasurer's and collector's bonds.

PERAMBULATIONS.

The boundary lines between Reading and Wakefield were perambulated by the selectmen of these municipalities and the existing marks and stone bounds were in good condition.

CONCLUSION.

The official acts of the present board of selectmen have become subjects of history, and they will be approved by their fellow citizens only as they have been directed to promote the public interest of the entire town. Charles E. Walton, who has served on

the board of selectmen four years, and Daniel Evans, three years. voluntarily retire from further service in that capacity at the close of their present term of office.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD A. UPTON, *Chairman*;
JAMES F. MANSFIELD,
DANIEL EVANS,
WILLIAM P. SHEPARD,
CHARLES E. WALTON, *Secretary*,
Selectmen of Wakefield.

REPORT OF FISH COMMITTEE.

The fish committee herewith present their twenty-second annual report.

FISHING.

More fishermen have been on Lake Quannapowitt and Crystal Lake this season than usual and more fish taken, particularly yellow perch and pickerel, but no large ones. White perch and bass have mostly disappeared or have refused to bite; but few have been caught. A few German carp have been caught; one by Will H. Wiley weighing twenty pounds. Many larger ones have been seen in the lake. When planted six years ago they weighed from two to four pounds. There were two hundred and twenty-five of them. This large fish caught by Mr. Wiley was put into a large glass tank in the boat-house with all the different kinds of fish in the lake and was seen by thousands of people. Many were surprised to learn there were such large fish in our lakes. In early spring thirty-one square-tail brook trout, bought by subscription, were planted in Crystal lake and five thousand trout fry sent to your committee were placed in a good brook adjoining this lake. In November the lot of two hundred and fifty white perch spawners sent to your committee came through all right and were all planted alive in Lake Quannapowitt. These cost the town nothing; the state pays the bill. Your committee will try for more next fall. Your committee has had a number of letters from parties out of town asking the privilege of fishing through the ice in our lakes. In every case we have refused and sent them a copy of the law and we have not heard from them since.

In October your committee inspected the several fish-ways on Saugus river and found them about useless, one of them having been entirely destroyed by the city of Lynn. We then decided if the city of Lynn would not let any fish up, we would not let any

down, and a screen has been put in at the outlet of the lake, as it was thought that many large fish have migrated down Saugus river. We find it is a good thing, many large and small fish of all kinds having been seen against the screen, trying to get down the river, but they must stay in the lake until they are fished out.

The lakes have been carefully guarded against illegal fishing and no Sunday fishing has been observed or reported. The town has adopted the act restricting fishing to one line and one hook. Several parties attempted to set more than one on the ice last winter, but when informed of the law readily conformed to it.

The state commissioners have closed both lakes in Wakefield and their tributaries from the first day of December to the first day of June in each year for a term of three years. Penalty for each offence, \$20.00. This we believe to be a good thing. This will give all the fish in the lake a chance to spawn before the fishing season opens, and we shall look for better fishing from year to year.

We are glad to see so many of our friends in town and out of town enjoying this kind of sport. We are also glad to see so many ladies enjoying the sport. It is no uncommon thing any pleasant day to see them out with rod and reel, and many of them have been very successful.

We are glad to know that the law which prohibits winter fishing in our lakes has been so well respected. No one has been known to violate the law and no one has been reported to your committee.

Respectfully submitted,

SAMUEL PARKER, *Chairman*;
J. C. HARTSHORNE,
WILL H. WILEY.

Wakefield, Feb. 18, 1898.

AUDITORS' REPORT.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1897-'98.

Interest on Town Debt,	\$14,000 00
Common and Park,	500 00
Concrete Sidewalks and Crossings (abutters paying half),	500 00
General Expenses Municipal Light Plant (with income),	3,500 00
Extension Incandescent Lines (voted Nov. 15, 1897),	1,000 00
School General Expenses,	28,000 00
School Text Books and Supplies,	2,250 00
School Contingent Expenses,	2,000 00
Poor Department (with income) (\$2,000 voted Nov. 8, 1897),	8,000 00
Fire Department,	3,200 00
Forest Fire Wards,	600 00
Salaries Town Officials (\$300 voted Nov. 8, 1897),	4,805 00
Town House Expenses (\$300 voted Nov. 15, 1897) (with income),	1,800 00
Police Department (\$250 voted Nov. 8, 1897),	1,450 00
Salaries Night Watch,	1,800 00
Fish Committee,	25 00
Memorial Day,	200 00
Rental of Hydrants,	4,340 00
Edgestones (abutters paying half),	250 00
Town Library (dog tax 1893 and 1897),	593 00
Public Reading Room,	175 00
Highway Department (\$400 voted Nov. 8, 1897),	8,400 00
Military Aid,	900 00
Soldiers' Relief,	2,500 00

Printing, Advertising and Stationery (\$200 voted Nov. 8, 1897),	\$1,000 00
Insurance Premiums,	750 00
Richardson Light Guard Expenses,	600 00
Maps and Surveys,	3,000 00
Miscellaneous Expenses,	4,500 00
Fire Escape Greenwood School House (voted Nov. 8, 1897,)	200 00
Damages, John Drugan,	500 00
Fourth of July Celebration,	100 00
Land Damages, Mrs. Goodale (voted Nov. 8, 1897),	100 00
Damages, Hunt vs. Town (voted Nov. 8, 1897),	2,795 68
Legal Services, Chas. W. Bartlett, case Hunt vs. Town (voted Nov. 8, 1897),	714 00
Legal Services, E. A. Upton, case Kelly vs. Town (voted Nov. 8, 1897),	325 00
Engine House Cesspool (voted Nov. 8-15, 1897),	62 06
Sidewalk Repairs, Gould St. (voted Nov. 15, 1897),	125 00
Broadway Repairs (voted Nov. 15, 1897),	500 00
Total,	\$106,059 74

BALANCES AVAILABLE FROM LAST YEAR.

Extension Gas Plant (bonds),	\$5 76
Extension Gas Mains,	488 98
General Expenses Light Plant,	430 77
H. M. Warren School House (bonds),	1,083 53
New Greenwood School House (bonds),	2,509 94
Jordan Avenue,	3,411 00
Cooper Street,	1,479 50
Nellie Street,	124 65
Byron Street,	198 50
Furnishing H. M. Warren School House,	161 05
Total,	\$9,893 68

RECAPITULATION.

Appropriations for 1897-98,	\$106,059 74
Balances available from last year,	9,893 68
Total,	\$115,953 42

DIVIDED AS FOLLOWS.

Voted at Annual Town Meeting,	\$96,788 00
Voted since Annual Town Meeting,	9,271 74
Balances from last year,	9,893 68
Total,	<u>\$115,953 42</u>

SCHOOL GENERAL EXPENSES.

March 8, 1897, Appropriation authorized,	\$28,000 00
Feb. 1, 1898, Received for tuition,	1,213 26
Total,	<u>\$29,213 26</u>

Expended as follows :

TEACHERS' SALARIES.

Pay rolls 1 year to Feb. 1, 1898,	\$22,522 53
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SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

Salary 1 year to Feb. 1, 1898,	\$1,500 00
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JANITORS' SALARIES.

Pay rolls 1 year to Feb. 1, 1898,	\$2,025 00
Mrs. D. Horgan, labor,	1 87

TUITION.

Town of Melrose, balance of old bill,	25 00
“ “ tuition for 1897-8,	212 50

MILITARY EXPENSES.

J. H. Keogh, opening armory 38 times at 75c.,	28 50
Geo. H. Taylor, labor,	2 80

FUEL EXPENSES.

Mansfield & Cheney, 31 tons coal,	\$171 00
J. H. Ringer, sawing 2 cords wood,	4 00
Mansfield & Cheney, 13 200-2000 tons coal at \$5.50,	72 55
“ “ wood and coal,	87 30
“ “ coal, at \$4.77 per ton,	1,350 20
“ “ “ \$3.77 “	516 71
“ “ 2 cords wood,	13 75
“ “ coal, at \$5.27 per ton,	100 13

RECAPITULATION.

Tuition,	\$237 50
Teachers' salaries,	22,522 53
Salary supt. of schools,	1,500 00
Janitors' services,	2,026 87
Military expenses,	31 30
Fuel expenses,	2,315 64
Total,	\$28,633 84
Balance unexpended,	579 42
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	\$29,213 26

SCHOOL CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

March 8, 1897, Appropriation authorized, . . . \$2,000 00

Expended as follows :

Municipal Light Plant, 38,300 feet gas, 1 year to Jan. 1, 1898,	\$68 94
Wakefield Rattan Co., baskets and machinist's labor,	23 42
L. P. Hooper, glazing and repairs,	1 00
S. B. Dearborn, printing,	3 50
A. W. Brownell, printing,	5 25
Keeler & Co., furniture,	45 50
H. C. Kendall, filling cadet commissions and diplomas,	7 25
Geo. H. Taylor, valves and labor,	4 25
Whiton & Knight, printing,	12 00
Dana Dudley, keys, locks and repairs,	4 35
J. H. Ringer, sundry labor and repairs,	12 05
F. W. Pierce, expressing,	54 65
C. W. Allen, settees,	14 95
Cutler Bros., oil, soap, etc.,	16 15
Belknap & Co., rubber stamps,	50
D. W. Hunt, moving piano,	6 00
M. P. Foster, printing and paper,	84 75
Geo. S. Perry & Co., furniture for school rooms,	194 41
American Express Co., expressing,	4 55
S. F. Littlefield & Co., hardware and repairs,	173 48
Bobrick School Furniture Co., 82 desks and seats,	234 80

Wakefield Water Co., service 1 year to Dec. 1, 1897,	\$136 00
W. D. Deadman, ground bone,	1 75
Murphy, Leavens & Co., dusters and floor brushes,	37 67
G. S. Berry, grading and removing ashes,	16 50
E. B. Nye, tuning piano,	2 00
The Cobb-Buzzell Co., furniture,	30 00
Lucas Bros., labor on clocks and batteries,	26 00
Wakefield Reed Chair Co., couch,	15 00
H. A. Simonds, school census,	30 90
American Bank Note Co., printing diplomas,	8 00
Morss & Whyte, ash barrel and sifter,	3 75
R. G. Singer, mowing lawns,	8 00
J. H. Keough, repairing rifles,	35
L. E. Carter, 1 gallon jar,	35
F. S. Blanchard & Co., 1 Mass. year book,	1 50
C. E. Hussey, incidental and travelling expenses,	58 50
F. J. Barnard & Co., binding books,	88 02
Fairbanks & McKenzie, painting and glazing,	63 11
D. Greaney, mason work,	29 70
Geo. W. Killorin, concreting at Warren school,	161 00
Geo. E. Gamage, sundry expenses,	5 14
Nathaniel Ross, cleaning vaults,	4 00
Albany Venetian Blind Co., 300 yards cord,	6 00
Geo. H. Teague, repairing piano leg,	1 00
E. W. Eaton, snow shovel and supplies,	2 78
C. Latimer, expressing,	35
J. E. Bell, slated paper,	21 87
W. B. Badger & Son, 2½ doz. chairs and book shelves,	16 51
John Flanley, window shades, cord, etc.,	28 63
A. W. Ventress, cleaning vault,	2 00
Mabel P. Ware, expenses to Salem,	2 40
E. Hodge & Co., labor on boiler,	52 35
Thos. Hickey, P. M., 500 envelopes,	10 90
W. W. Bessey & Son, use of team,	1 50
G. A. Elliott, finishing floor,	4 50
Roger Howard, repairs on buildings,	455 03
Fuller & Warren Co., fire grates and labor,	14 90
Braman, Dowe & Co., 6 gaskets,	1 50

J. W. Poland & Co., 8 yards crash at 6c.,	\$0 48
C. W. Allen, 6 iron braces,	13 50
American Humane Educational Society, 37 Bands of Mercy registers,	2 96
C. H. Howe, sundry expenses,	6 43
W. B. Badger & Co., oak table,	15 00
Jas. H. Rowe, roof repairs,	16 00
Thos. Thrush, glazing,	1 00
D. H. Philbrook, picture framing,	9 57
E. W. Snow & Co., oil,	90
R. J. Lawder, electrical work,	11 61
J. L. Gooch, repairs on window,	2 50
Smith & Anthony Co., repairs on motor,	4 40
Geo. M. Kelley, iron poker,	2 00
Estate Geo. E. Gamage, repairs, etc.,	5 00
Wakefield Water Co., water service,	137 50
General Electric Co., electric meters,	25 00
Total,	\$2,575 06
Balance overdrawn,	575 06
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	\$ 2,000 00

This over draw is offset by the unexpended balance of the General Fund, it being the vote of the Town that all moneys received for tuition be credited to that appropriation and therefore making it unavailable for Contingent Expenses as heretofore.

SCHOOL TEXT BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

March 8, 1897, Appropriation authorized, \$2,250 00

Expended as follows :

E. E. Babb & Co., umbrella stands, stationery, etc.,	\$102 37
American Book Co., text books,	355 53
University Publishing Co., text books.	18 90
Silver, Burdett & Co., "	56 35
Ginn & Co., "	446 92
Werner School Book Co., "	32 44
N. J. Bartlett & Co., "	17 07
J. L. Hammett & Co., " and supplies,	158 32

D. C. Heath & Co.,	text books,	\$132 11
Educational Publishing Co.,	"	35 59
Houghton, Mifflin & Co.,	"	17 85
Prang Educational Co.,	" pens, pencils, etc.,	2 80
Allyn & Bacon,	"	92 70
G. F. King & Merrill,	pens, paper, ink, etc.,	62 60
Geo. S. Perry & Co.,	7 doz. ink wells, at \$2.00,	14 00
Greenough, Adams & Cushing,	pens, paper, sponges, etc..	148 64
Geo. S. Perry & Co.,	models,	13 50
E. E. Babb & Co.,	text books,	41 11
Oliver Ditson & Co.,		6 00
A. W. Brownell,	printing,	2 50
Wadsworth, Howland & Co.,	1 gross brushes,	4 50
White-Smith Music Co.,	music,	2 25
C. H. Howe,	paper, etc.,	2 45
Estes & Lauriat,	text books,	1 68
Wm. Ware & Co.,	text books,	164 64
Maynard, Merrill & Co.,	text books and copy books,	114 92
Eagle Pencil Co.,	25 gross pencils,	40 00
J. S. Bonney,	chemicals,	14 90
Geo. F. King Co.,	ink, stationery, etc.,	50 90
Jas. Wallis,	flags, seals, etc.,	3 00
Jos. Gillott & Sons,	25 gross of pens,	9 89
Thorpe & Martin Co.,	stationery and supplies,	41 15
Lee & Shepard,	text books,	3 00
Suffolk Ink Co.,	1 doz. qts. ink,	2 50
Puritan Publishing Co.,	text books,	2 75
Lothrop Publishing Co.,	"	8 00
Leach, Shewell & Sanborn,	"	11 67
Willard Small,	"	3 69
W. B. Clark & Co.,	24 manual of arms,	5 40
Total,		\$2,244 59
Balance unexpended,		5 41
		<hr/> \$2,250 00

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

March 8, 1897, Appropriation authorized. \$3,200 00

Expended as follows:

STEAMER LUCIUS BEEBE.

Pay roll, 1 year to Feb. 1, 1898,	\$233 85
Wm. B. Daniel, engineer, 9 mos. to Nov. 1, 1898,	93 75
E. I. Purrington, asst. engineer. 9 mos. to Nov. 1, 1898,	75 00
E. I. Purrington, engineer, 3 mos. to Feb. 1, 1898,	31 25
Wm. Tyzzer, asst. engineer, 3 mos. to Feb. 1, 1898,	25 00
G. H. Hathaway, horse hire,	148 00
“ collar pads and strap,	1 95
W. A. Cutter, horse hire,	2 00
C. Callahan Co., hose, couplings, repairs, etc.,	85 00
Mansfield & Cheney, 2 tons cannel coal and kindlings,	33 50
E. I. Purrington, repairs,	9 60
McIntosh Bros., “	6 00
H. C. Ayscough, horse hire,	2 00
Total.	\$746 90

GREENWOOD HOSE NO. 3.

Chas. E. Classen, steward, 1 year to Feb. 1, 1898,	25 00
Mansfield & Cheney, wood and coal,	34 80
S. F. Littlefield & Co., stove repairs.	6 60
Geo. H. Taylor, lock and keys, etc.,	13 98
Wakefield Water Co., service, 1 year,	11 00
Alexander Glass, horse hire,	6 00
Jenney Mfg. Co., oil,	5 34
H. P. Alden, labor,	3 00
N. A. Heath, painting, etc.,	4 10
C. Callahan, Co., play pipe,	8 00
F. M. Pendleton, repairs,	1 00
Charles Barnes, “ on water tank,	1 00
Total,	\$119 82

FIRE ALARM EXPENSES.

A. D. Oxley, cross arms,	\$5 20
Beattie Zinc Co., zines and coppers,	63 75
Geo. M. Stevens, repairs and supplies,	167 01
Wm. E. Cade, superintendent, 1 year,	100 00
“ repairs and supplies,	93 35
A. B. Woodman, guard irons,	4 80
H. H. Sweetser, glasses for key boxes,	1 50
U. S. Fire Alarm Co., repairs,	2 25
Wm. Tyzzer, labor,	19 00
Goodhart Electric Co., protector, rentals, fuses,	33 28
Total,	<hr/> \$490 14

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

Geo. H. Hathaway, horse hire,	51 00
“ strap,	1 50
Municipal Light Plant, gas, 1 year to Jan. 1, 1898,	50 58
Wakefield Water Co., service, 1 year,	31 00
Mansfield & Cheney, coal and wood,	144 18
Cutler Bros., supplies, etc.,	27 63
Wm. Tyzzer, janitor, 1 year,	237 50
“ laundry work, care of reservoirs, etc.,	22 44
C. Latimer, expressing,	8 75
F. W. Pierce, “	3 55
Wm. P. Butterfield, chamois skin,	6 00
S. F. Littlefield & Co., labor and hardware,	11 55
H. H. Sweetser, labor,	1 26
Geo. H. Taylor, hardware and supplies,	10 66
E. I. Purrington, reservoir covers, labor, etc.,	26 95
Rollins Press, fire record book,	4 00
Geo. W. Killorin, labor on reservoirs,	5 00
Geo. A. Seaver, care firemen's lot,	2 00
Smith & Anthony Co., grate bar and reservoir cover,	7 75
J. F. Sherritt, paint,	1 00
J. W. Poland & Co., rugs,	2 45
Total,	<hr/> \$655 74

MONTROSE HOSE CO.

M. Hurley, steward, 11 months to Feb. 1, 1898,	\$36 67
L. E. Carter, oil, chimneys, etc.,	4 20
J. R. Reid, shingling and repairs,	17 37
A. Gould, rent of land,	12 00
Mansfield & Cheney, wood and coal,	11 77
C. H. Spencer, lumber,	34 98
Geo. H. Taylor, grate,	55
Total,	<hr/> \$117 54

VOLUNTEER HOSE CO.

Wm. Wood, steward, 1 year to Feb. 1, 1898,	\$25 00
Mansfield & Cheney, coal,	15 78
Block & Cate, oil,	3 63
C. Callahan Co., repairs,	4 00
Pay roll, 1 year to Feb. 1, 1898,	250 00
Total,	<hr/> \$298 41

J. H. CARTER HOSE CO.

Pay roll, 1 year to Feb. 1, 1898,	\$250 00
George M. Kelley, repairs,	3 50
Daniel Hunt, use of horse, 1896,	2 00
G. H. Hathaway, strap,	75
Total,	<hr/> \$256 25

HOOK AND LADDER CO.

Pay roll, 1 year to Feb. 1, 1898,	\$375 00
George H. Hathaway, horse hire,	90 00
George H. Hathaway, harness repairs, etc.,	5 20
William Tyzzer, care of truck 1 year,	50 00
William Tyzzer, repairs,	1 00
E. I. Purrington, repairs,	3 18
A. H. Thayer, record book,	1 20
Total,	<hr/> \$525 58

RECAPITULATION.

Steamer Lucius Beebe,	\$746 90
Hook & Ladder Co.,	525 58
Carter Hose Co.,	256 25
Volunteer Hose Co.,	298 41
Greenwood Hose Co.,	119 82
Montrose Hose Co.,	117 54
Fire Alarm Expenses,	490 14
Miscellaneous Expenses,	655 74
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Total,	\$3,210 38
Overdrawn,	10 38
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	\$3,200 00

NEW GREENWOOD SCHOOLHOUSE.

Feb. 1, 1897, Balance available from last year, . . \$2,509 94

Expended as follows :

Smith & Anthony Co., balance heating contract,	\$630 00
Geo. S. Perry & Co., furniture,	420 74
Jas. A. Bancroft, surveys and batters,	5 00
Gilbert S. Berry, teaming stone and grading,	26 75
Highway Dep't, 30 tons crushed stone, at 80c.,	24 00
Gilbert S. Berry, stone, and rolling walks,	10 30
M. O'Connor, 23 days' labor on lawn, at \$2.25,	52 45
Cutler Bros., seed and hardware,	6 28
S. M. Gates, laying pipe and teaming,	6 50
J. H. Ringer, labor and grading,	19 40
S. M. Gates, grading and filling,	25 00
Samuel Kimball, gravel,	3 00
Wm. G. Strong, sundry bills of committee,	6 12
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Total,	\$1,235 54
Balance unexpended,	1,274 40
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	\$2,509 94

This unexpended balance is available for next year as an un-closed contract.

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

March 15, 1897, Appropriation authorized, . . . \$4,500 00

Expended as follows:

ELECTION EXPENSES.

Harry P. Alden, putting up and removing booths, precinct 2,	\$10 00
C. H. Curtis, meals for election officers, Mch. 1, '97,	59 60
Chas. E. Walton, pay roll " " " "	185 00
Geo. E. Hart, preparing ballot sheets,	3 00
J. Fred Parker, " " " and pencils,	3 75
Geo. H. Potter, delivering ballot box, precinct 2,	3 00
Hoyt B. Parker, putting up and removing booths,	2 00
Chas. E. Walton, pay roll elect'n officers, Nov. 2, '97,	200 00
C. H. Curtis, meals for " " " " " "	61 80
J. Fred Parker, preparing tally sheets,	3 00
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	\$531 15

TOWN CLERK'S RETURNS.

Chas. F. Hartshorne, recording and making return to State of 241 births at 50c., 97 marriages at 15c., 20 deaths at 20c., and 146 deaths at 10c.,	\$153 65
Oliver Walton, returns 118 deaths at 25c., for 1896,	29 50
J. R. Mansfield, M.D., returns 11 births at 25c.,	2 75
J. W. Heath, M. D. " 101 " " for '96,	25 25
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	\$211 15

BOARD OF HEALTH EXPENSES.

S. E. Ryder, medicines, etc.,	7 55
C. H. Curtis, meals for registrars,	6 00
Jordan's Drug Store, medicines, etc.,	2 70
Wm. H. McCausland, posting warning cards,	526 70
Lyman Hamm, burying dog,	1 00
J. A. Doucette, " " " " " "	1 00
C. L. Sopher, M. D., prof. services,	18 00
G. S. Turkey, inspection of plumbing,	220 00
Wm. H. Gray, labor on drain,	2 00
J. R. Reid, " " " " " "	1 00

J. S. Bonney, drugs, etc., and labor on rules,	\$14	35
A. W. Brownell, printing,	2	50
Geo. H. Taylor, hardware, etc.,	2	99
Jas. Buckley, burying dog,	1	00
C. C. Blanchard, serving notice,	1	08
Henry Davis, labor on drain,	3	25
Chas. Dutton, prof. services,	3	00
C. H. Spencer, lumber,	8	15
C. H. Veal, removing Italians, Boyntonville,	1	00
D. W. Hunt, " baggage, " "	1	00
F. M. McLaughlin, serving notices,	2	20
M. P. Foster, printing notices, etc.,	12	25
Butler Bros., disinfecting,	14	00
S. F. Littlefield & Co., 10 lbs. nails,		30
A. L. Vannah, constable services,	28	60
Delia Jaffrey, services, Henniger family.	5	00
J. W. Jenkins, labor and material,	18	00
Wm. H. McCausland, bills for labor on Chestnut street drain,	35	00
J. W. Heath, M. D., prof. services,	60	55
John Flanley, 1 mattress,	3	00
S. F. Littlefield & Co., hardware, etc.,	1	90
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LEGAL EXPENSES.

Alvin L. Vannah, expense on case Hunt vs. town,	\$107 65
“ “ witness fees and expenses Ander- son case,	15 15
Alvin L. Vannah, witness fees and expenses, Ander- son case,	7 25
E. A. Upton, prof. services, sundry cases, 1896,	30 00
“ “ salary as town counsel 1 year,	300 00
C. L. Sopher, M.D., prof. services, Drugan case,	5 00
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	\$465 05

SUNDRY EXPENSES UNCLASSIFIED.

Zenas P. Alden, ringing bell July 4, 1896 and 1897,	\$5 00
Charles Barnes, distributing reports,	2 00

A. J. Perham, carriage hire,	\$2 00
Thomas Hickey, P. M., stamps and box rent,	31 73
H. C. Perry, V. S., inspection of cattle and swine.	302 70
A. L. Vannah, serving warrants,	16 10
Fred S. Hartshorne, distributing reports,	15 00
A. L. Vannah, summoning town officials,	7 84
G. H. Sweetser, rebate on Lois B. Emerson,	10 00
R. F. Draper, sal. lockup-keeper 1 year,	50 00
Thos. J. Skinner, one-half rent safe deposit vault,	5 00
Alvin L. Vannah, truant officer 1 year,	25 00
R. F. Draper, " " "	25 00
Justin Howard, burial expenses of G. W. Stoddard,	35 00
T. H. Badger, restoring paintings,	25 00
Darius Hadley, services as moderator,	25 00
C. L. Sopher, M. D., prof. services, bicycle accident,	13 00
N. Jenkins, new pump. Greenwood,	27 35
R. F. Draper, 125 meals for prisoners at 25c.,	31 25
J. H. Ringer, labor on Greenwood pump,	6 53
A. W. Flint, writing and posting town bulletins,	5 00
Justin Howard, burial of T. J. Keough,	35 00
Lucas Bros., repairing ballot box and stationery,	5 85
A. W. Brownell, postage stamps, assessors,	4 00
American Express Co., expressing,	2 05
J. R. Barss, M. D., prof. services,	5 00
D. P. Rolfe, painting fence, Eaton lot,	7 15
Wm. H. Murray, labor at old cemetery,	50 00
S. T. Parker, plants for Eaton lot,	1 00
C. W. Eaton, recording conveyances,	44 40
R. F. Draper, killing and burying dogs,	2 00
A. A. Butler, grading and butts, rifle range,	150 00
F. S. Hartshorne, making street lists,	20 00
C. Latimer, expressing,	30
Mary F. Aborn, rebate of error in taxes,	86 05
Geo. O. Russell, ringing bell July 4th.	2 50
C. E. Townley, " " " "	2 50
A. L. Mansfield, carriage hire on Town lines,	2 00
J. A. Stockwell, land damage, Nahant st.,	40 00

John Landers, land damage, Nahant street, . . .	\$30 00
C. W. Eaton, examining records for assessors, . . .	30 00
Helen B. Eaton, rebate on paid taxes, . . .	1 74
Leonard Wiley Heirs, rebate on paid taxes, . . .	6 96
Francis Williams Estate, " " " " . . .	5 22
I. A. Parsons, ringing bell July 4th, . . .	2 50
A. L. Vannah, serving dog warrant, . . .	10 00
W. H. Murray, care of Eaton lot, . . .	4 00
W. W. Bessey & Son, team hire, assessors, . . .	6 00
Albert W. Flint, box of pens, . . .	2 00
Geo. E. Dunbar, printing, selectmen, . . .	4 75
S. B. Dearborn, printing, tax collector, . . .	33 40
Greenough, Adams & Cushing, books, etc., . . .	6 88
Hill, Smith & Co., stationery, . . .	60
S. M. Appleton, type writing, . . .	50
Daily Item, advertising notices, . . .	9 63
M. P. Foster, " " " " . . .	4 75
Lizzie A. Mansfield, abatement on paid taxes, . . .	1 74
E. A. Upton, type writing, . . .	3 00
C. S. Merrill, killing and burying dog, . . .	1 00
Wakefield Water Co., service Rockery drinking fountain 1 year, . . .	125 00
Wakefield Water Co., service Salem street drinking fountain 1 year, . . .	100 00
E. A. Appleton, typewriting jury lists, . . .	1 50
G. H. Hathaway, street sprinkling, town hall, . . .	40 00
W. W. Bessey & Son, team hire, . . .	7 00
H. M. Meek, stationery, etc., . . .	5 18
J. A. Bancroft, plans and surveys, new streets, . . .	253 55
Overseers of Poor, bd. at Danvers, A. J. Green, . . .	67 83
E. I. Purrington, bulletin boards, . . .	7 26
Willard Welch, rebate on illegal tax sale, . . .	106 23
J. H. Buckley, killing and burying 2 dogs, . . .	2 00
A. W. Brownell, postals and printing, . . .	1 60
Soldiers' Relief, for month of Jan., 1898, . . .	234 00
A. H. Thayer, stationery, . . .	1 86
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	\$2,242 98

RECAPITULATION.

Election Expenses,	\$531 15
Town Clerk's Returns,	211 15
Board of Health Expenses,	1,005 07
Legal Expenses,	465 05
Sundry Expenses, unclassified,	2,242 98
Total,	<hr/> \$4,455 40
Balance unexpended,	44 60
	<hr/> \$4,500 00

PRINTING, ADVERTISING AND STATIONERY.

March 15, 1897, Appropriation authorized,	\$800 00
Nov. 8, 1897, Additional appropriation.	200 00
	<hr/> \$1,000 00

Expended as follows :

Fred W. Young, advertising, warrants, notices, etc.,	\$69 63
A. W. Brownell, printing for various Boards,	154 80
Hill, Smith & Co., treasurer's journal	5 00
Hill, Smith & Co., auditor's ledger	13 42
M. P. Foster, printing Town Reports,	424 15
M. P. Foster, printing for various Boards, and adver- tising warrants, notices, etc.,	268 83
John Day, posting dog licenses,	4 00
Greenough, Adams & Cushing, stationery for Boards,	51 90
George E. Dunbar, printing auditors' reports,	1 00
Carter, Shepard & Co., printing telephone sheets,	2 75
Hill, Smith & Co., stationery, etc.,	1 00
F. P. Bridges & Co., 1 gross pens,	1 50
Henry M. Meek, stationery.	2 02
Total,	<hr/> \$1,000 00

EXTENSION OF GAS MAINS.

Feb. 1, 1897, balance available from last year,	\$488 98
Expended as per detailed report of Municipal Light Bond,	\$488 98

DAMAGES JOHN DRUGAN.

March 22, 1897, Appropriation authorized, . . .	\$500 00
Paid John Drugan damages as awarded, . . .	\$500 00

H. M. WARREN SCHOOL BUILDING FURNISHINGS.

Feb. 1, 1897, balance available from last year, . . .	\$161 05
Expended as follows:	
C. W. Allen, chestnut settees at 44 cents per foot, . . .	\$161 05

MEMORIAL DAY.

March 8, 1897, Appropriation authorized, . . .	\$200 00
Paid Justin Howard, Qr. Master Post 12 G. A. R., . . .	\$200 00

JULY FOURTH CELEBRATION.

Appropriation authorized,	\$100 00
Paid C. N. Winship, treasurer of committee, . . .	\$100 00

COMMON AND PARK.

March 8, 1897, Appropriation authorized, . . .	\$500 00
Expended as follows:	
E. W. Remick & Co., wrench,	\$0 50
W. E. Eaton, 1 horse lawn mower,	30 00
George H. Teague, taking down and repairing flag staff,	40 00
I. W. Wheeler & Co., ensign and halyards, . . .	6 73
W. J. Moulton, mason work,	12 17
J. F. Sheritt, painting band stand,	50 00
Wakefield Water Co., service 1 year,	15 00
S. F. Littlefield & Co., plumbing repairs on fountain, . . .	50
C. A. Gardner, care of park 1897,	260 00
C. A. Gardner, repairing flag,	3 00
Total,	\$417 90
Balance unexpended,	82 10
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	\$500 00

DAMAGES ALBERT W. HUNT vs. TOWN.

Nov. 8, 1897, Appropriation authorized,	\$2,795 68
Paid damages and expenses as awarded,	\$2,795 68

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

March 8, 1897, Appropriation authorized,	\$1,200 00
Nov. 8, 1897, additional Appropriation,	250 00
Total,	\$1,450 00

Expended as follows :

Alvin L. Vannah, salary as chief, 1 year to Feb. 1,	
' 1898,	\$750 00
Alvin L. Vannah, traveling and sundry expenses,	38 46
Alvin L. Vannah, July 4th pay roll expended by him,	99 10
Edwin McDuffee, services as officer,	3 60
C. S. Merrill, " "	222 10
George H. Potter, " "	30 35
R. F. Draper, " "	2 10
J. A. McFadden, " "	7 30
E. F. Poland, " "	6 40
N. A. Heath, " "	31 00
C. H. R. Dunn, " "	63 30
J. H. Buckley, " "	12 40
A. J. Perham, hack hire,	2 00
W. W. Bessey & Son, team hire,	20 50
A. W. Brownell, printing,	4 75
Thomas Hickey, postage stamps, etc.,	4 16
C. L. Sopher, M. D., professional services,	2 00
James Scales, desk cabinet,	9 00
American Express Co., expressing,	25
William Read & Sons, 3 revolvers,	35 25
George H. Hathaway, team hire,	2 25
Total,	\$1,346 27
Balance unexpended,	103 73
	\$1,450 00

EXPENSES RICHARDSON LIGHT GUARD.

March 15, 1897, Appropriation authorized, . . . \$600 00

Expended as follows :

Wakefield Municipal Light Plant, 3,760 hours electric lighting,	\$39 00
Wakefield Municipal Light Plant, 1,200 ft. gas,	2 18
Mansfield & Cheney, 2 cords sawed wood,	12 50
Hiram Campbell, clearing land at rifle range,	38 00
Wakefield Water Co., service, 1 year,	51 00
J. H. Keough, care of boiler, 1 year to Jan. 1, 1898,	100 00
R. J. Lawder, installing telephone at rifle range,	32 80
William G. Doe, rent of land for rifle range,	25 00
J. H. Keough, axe,	75
Roger Howard, labor and material, rifle range,	111 86
Mansfield and Cheney, 10 tons coal at \$4.99,	49 90
H. H. Sweetser, glazing,	1 25
J. A. Bancroft, surveys rifle range,	13 25
Total,	<hr/> \$477 49
Balance unexpended,	122 51
	<hr/> \$600 00

NIGHT WATCH SALARIES.

March 8, 1897, Appropriation authorized, . . . \$1,800 00

Expended as follows :

Edwin F. Poland, salary, 1 year to Feb. 1, 1898,	\$900 00
James A. McFadden, " " " 1, 1898,	900 00
	<hr/> \$1,800 00

LEGAL SERVICES, CHAS. W. BARTLETT.

Nov. 8, 1897, Appropriation authorized,	\$714 00
Paid Chas. W. Bartlett, prof. services,	\$685 00
" " " " witness fees,	29 00
Total,	<hr/> \$714 00

EDGESTONES.

March 8, 1897, Appropriation authorized, . . . \$250 00

Received from abutters as follows :

E. E. Proctor,	37 27
Geo. P. Haley,	5 17

Total,	\$292 44
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Expended as follows :

F. E. Newhall, 411 ft. 9 in. straight at 53c., . . .	\$218 06
F. E. Newhall, 25 ft. 7 in. circle at \$1.00. . . .	25 59
F. E. Newhall, resetting stone,	3 25
F. E. Newhall, rounding heads,	1 00

Total,	\$247 90
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Balance unexpended,	44 54
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\$292 44

CONCRETE SIDEWALKS AND CROSSINGS.

March 8, 1897, Appropriation authorized, . . . \$500 00

Received from abutter, viz :

John Morgan,	14 75
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Total,	\$514 75
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Expended as follows :

C. H. Wellington, 75 yards paving at 35c.. . . .	\$26 25
Geo. W. Killorin, 1 load top dressing,	6 00
Geo. W. Killorin, gutters and patching,	59 30
Geo. W. Killorin, 92 7-10 yards new concrete at 50c. .	46 35
Municipal Light Plant, tar,	8 50
Chapman & Soden, 2 barrels pitch at \$3.00, . . .	6 00
F. E. Newhall, 209 feet flag stone,	125 85
F. E. Newhall, 3,100 yards paving,	139 50
Labor as per pay rolls,	82 12

Total,	\$499 87
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Balance unexpended,	14 88
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\$514 75

RENTAL OF HYDRANTS.

March 8, 1897, Appropriation authorized, . . .	\$4,340 00
Paid Wakefield Water Co., rental of 124 hydrants, 1 year to Dec. 1, 1897, at \$35 per hydrant per yr.,	\$4,340 00

LAND DAMAGE, MRS. GOODALE, JORDAN AVE.

Nov. 8, 1897, Appropriation authorized, . . .	\$100 00
Paid Mrs. M. M. Goodale, damages as voted, . . .	\$100 00

MAPS AND SURVEYS.

March 15, 1897, Appropriation authorized, . . .	\$3,000 00
Expended as follows :	
O. Perry Searle & Co., on account contract, . . .	\$2,252 50
Geo. M. Staples, typewriting specifications, . . .	5 60
Middlesex Traders, rent of work room, . . .	77 50
Total,	\$2,335 60
Balance unexpended,	664 40
	\$3,000 00

This unexpended balance is available for next year, being contract not paid in full.

FOREST FIREWARDS' EXPENSES.

March 8, 1897, Appropriation authorized, . . .	\$600 00
Expended as follows :	
Rufus Kendrick, bal. of bills of last year for repairs on apparatus,	\$118 01
Rufus Kendrick, bal. of bills of last year for services of sundry persons,	80 00
Rufus Kendrick, services of sundry persons for 1897-8, in part.	401 99
Total,	\$600 00

This leaves a balance to be paid from next year's appropriation of \$65.21 for services, and \$112.73 for repairs.

GENERAL EXPENSES MUNICIPAL LIGHT PLANT.

Feb. 1, 1897, Balance available from last year,	\$430 77
April 5, 1897, Appropriation authorized,	3,500 00
Feb. 1, 1898, Income for year ending this date,	18,291 63
Total,	<u>\$22,222 40</u>
Expended as per detailed report of Municipal	
Light Board,	\$20,120 27
Balance unexpended,	2,102 13
	<u>\$22,222 40</u>

POOR DEPARTMENT.

March 8, 1897, Appropriation authorized,	\$6,000 00
Nov. 8, 1897, additional Appropriation,	2,000 00
Feb. 1, 1898, Income for year to date,	2,268 99
Total,	<u>\$10,268 99</u>
Expended as per detailed report of Overseers,	\$10,262 20
Balance unexpended,	6 79
	<u>\$10,268 99</u>

ENGINE HOUSE CESSPOOL.

Nov. 8, 1897, Appropriation authorized,	\$37 06
Nov. 15, 1897, additional Appropriation,	25 00
Total,	<u>\$62 06</u>
Expended as follows :	
Wm. H. Tyzzer, labor on drain,	\$5 00
A. A. Butler, cesspool and drain.	51 74
Total,	<u>\$56 74</u>
Balance unexpended,	5 32
	<u>\$62 06</u>

GOULD ST. SIDEWALK AND CROSSING REPAIRS.

Nov. 15, 1897, Appropriation authorized,	\$125 00
Expended as follows:	
F. E. Newhall, 48 ft. flagstone, at 60 cts., . . .	28 80
Geo. W. Killorin, 47 loads gravel, at 10 cts. . .	4 70
Labor, as per pay rolls,	54 00
Total,	\$87 50
Balance unexpended,	37 50
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	\$125 00

INSURANCE PREMIUMS.

March 15, 1897, Appropriation authorized, . . .	\$750 00
Expended as follows:	
P. H. Southworth, premium on treasurer's bond, . .	125 00
" " collector's " . . .	75 00
" " policy of \$3,000, on public library, for 3 years, to May 1, 1900, . .	40 40
P. H. Southworth, premium on policy \$1,000, on No. Ward school house, for 3 years, to May 9, 1900,	12 00
C. F. Hartshorne, premium on policy of \$1,500, on fire engine house, for 5 years, to Aug. 16, 1902, .	33 75
C. F. Hartshorne & Son, premium on policy for \$2,500, on Lincoln school building, for 5 years, to Nov. 15, 1902,	37 50
A. H. Thayer, premium on policy of \$1,000, on Green- wood hose house, for 5 years, to Dec. 31, 1903, .	22 50
C. F. Hartshorne, premium on policy of \$2,500, on armory, for 3 years, to Dec. 13, 1900,	62 50
C. F. Hartshorne, premium on policy of \$2,500, on armory, for 3 years, to Dec. 5, 1900,	62 50
C. F. Hartshorne, premium on policy of \$2,500, on high school house, for 5 years, to Nov. 14, 1902,	56 25

C. F. Hartshorne, premium on policy of \$2,500, on high school building, for 5 years, to Nov. 14, 1902,	\$56 25
P. H. Southworth, premium on policy of \$5,000, on Lincoln school steam boiler, for 3 years, to Dec. 15, 1900,	50 00
P. H. Southworth, premium on policy of \$5,000, on Lincoln school building, for 5 years, to Nov. 12, 1920,	75 00
Albert R. Perkins, premium on policy for \$2,500, on Lincoln school building, for 5 years, to Nov. 15, 1902,	37 50
J. D. Mansfield, premium on policies of \$2,000, on Montrose and Greenwood school houses, for 5 years, to Nov. 18, 1902,	45 00
Total,	\$791 15
Overdrawn,	41 15
	<hr/> \$750 00

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

March 8, 1897, Appropriation authorized,	\$8,000 00
Nov. 8, 1897, additional Appropriation,	400 00
Received from sale of crushed stone,	40 10
Received from sundry sources,	69 79
Total,	\$8,509 89
Expended as per detailed report of highway surveyor,	\$8,515 77
Overdrawn,	5 88
	<hr/> \$8,509 80

FIRE ESCAPE, GREENWOOD SCHOOL HOUSE.

Nov. 8, 1897, Appropriation authorized,	\$200 00
Paid Geo. E. Smith, building fire escape,	162 00
Balance unexpended,	38 00
	<hr/> \$100 00

EXTENSION ELECTRIC LINES.

Nov. 8, 1897, Appropriation authorized,	\$1,000 00
Expended as per report in detail of Municipal	
Light Board,	\$1,000 00

SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

March 15, 1897, Appropriation authorized,	\$2,500 00
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Expended as follows :

John B. Adams,	66 00
James F. Burchstead,	138 50
George Burdett,	66 00
Edwin Carter,	88 00
Mary D. Clark,	70 00
Mary Connell,	66 00
Lizzie S. Cutter,	110 00
Angelina Davis,	66 00
Eliza A. Eaton,	88 00
Mary A. Hall,	110 00
Margaret Hamilton,	66 00
Charles L. Harmus,	66 00
Theodosia C. Hicks,	132 00
Matilda L. Kidder,	110 00
Laura E. Richardson,	132 00
Florence A. B. Ryder,	88 00
Sarah E. Sanborn,	144 00
Fred W. Scovell,	99 00
Alexander A. Stubbs,	88 00
William Sweeney,	68 00
John H. Tyler,	110 00
Elizabeth Shannahan,	66 00
Hannah M. Wheeler,	66 00
Mary F. Whitten,	66 00
Vasti Woodis,	88 00
Oliver G. Sanborn,	24 00
Fannie L. Stoddard,	120 00
Annette Davis,	54 00
Elvira S. Willan,	54 00

Sarah C. Keough,	\$70 00
Catherine Weary,	30 00
Total,	\$2,609 50
Balance overdrawn,	109 50
	<hr/> \$2,500 00

The payments for soldiers' relief for January, 1898, will be found under miscellaneous, as the above appropriation was overdrawn to the amount of \$107.50 for December, 1897.

COOPER STREET.

Feb. 1, 1897, Balance available from last year,	\$1,479 50
Balance unexpended,	\$1,479 50

NELLIE STREET.

Feb. 1, 1897, Balance available from last year,	\$124 65
Expended as follows:	
Pay roll, labor,	\$22 00
R. C. North, blacksmith work,	9 69
Total,	\$31 69
Balance unexpended,	92 96
	<hr/> \$124 65

BROADWAY REPAIRS.

Nov. 15, 1897, Appropriation authorized,	\$500 00
Expended as follows:	
Labor, as per pay rolls,	\$295 88
W. M. Ward, 45 loads stone, at 50c per ton,	26 04
Chas. Cloudman, 11 tons stone, at 40c.,	4 40
Patrick Kenney, 586 loads gravel, at 10c.,	58 60
Wm. L. Griffin, 4½ tons stone, at 40c.,	1 80
W. J. Lee, 26 " " "	10 40
Total,	\$397 12
Balance unexpended,	102 88
	<hr/> \$500 00

BYRON STREET.

Feb. 1, 1897, Balance available from last year,	\$198 50
Expended as follows:	
Labor, as per pay rolls,	\$150 00
R. C. North, blacksmith work,	9 69
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Total,	\$159 69
Balance unexpended,	38 81
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	\$198 50

SALARIES TOWN OFFICERS.

March 8, 1897, Appropriation authorized,	\$4,325 00
March 15, 1897, additional Appropriation.	200 00
Nov. 8, 1897, " "	300 00
Total,	\$4,825 00

Expended as follows :

Board of Health, 1896-7,	\$50 00
“ Auditors, 1896-7,	215 00
“ Registrars, to Feb. 1, '98,	215 00
“ Assessors, to Feb. 1, '98,	900 00
“ Overseers, to Feb. 1, '98,	300 00
“ Fire Engineers, to Feb. 1, '98,	100 00
“ Forest Firewards, to Feb. 1, '98,	75 00
“ Light Commissioners, to Feb. 1, '98,	250 00
Town Treasurer, to Feb. 1, '98,	400 00
“ Clerk, to Feb. 1, '98,	200 00
Highway Surveyor, to Feb 1, '98, \$800, horse, \$100,	900 00
Inspector of Milk, to Feb. 1, '97,	100 00
“ “ to Feb. 1, '98,	100 00
Board of Selectmen, to Feb. 1, '98,	600 00
Tax Collector, bal. 1895, \$50, in full, 1896, \$50,	100 00
“ “ on acc't 1897-8, \$400,	400 00
Total,	\$4,905 00
Overdrawn,	80 00
	\$4,825 00

FISH COMMITTEE EXPENSES.

March 8, 1897, Appropriation authorized, . . . \$25 00

Expended as follows:

Harry Frazier, labor and material on weirs, . . .	\$5 75
W. W. Bessey & Son, team hire, . . .	2 00
Samuel Parker, sundry expenses and labor, . . .	17 25
Total, . . .	<hr/> \$25 00

H. M. WARREN SCHOOL BUILDING.

Feb. 1, 1897, Balance available from last year, . . \$1,083 53

Expended as follows:

R. J. Lawder, balance on wiring contract, . . .	85 35
Municipal Light Plant, electrical work, . . .	211 12
J. A. Bancroft, survey, levels and grades, . . .	28 25
Geo. W. Killorin, concreting and balance grading contract, . . .	214 00
A. H. Thayer, committee expenses, . . .	5 00
T. J. Keough, carpenter work, . . .	5 50
Smith & Anthony Co., balance of contract, . . .	533 00
C. H. Spencer, lumber, . . .	1 31
Total, . . .	<hr/> \$1,083 53

JORDAN AVENUE.

Feb. 1, 1897, Balance available from last year, . . \$3,411 00

Expended as follows:

Labor, as per pay rolls, No. 1 to No. 16 inclusive, . . .	\$2,546 19
J. Laybolt, hardware and tools, . . .	9 64
F. E. Newhall, 249 ft. coveing stone at 30 cts., . . .	74 70
C. H. Wellington, 310 yards paving at 17 cts., . . .	52 70
S. F. Littlefield & Co., 40 ft. drain pipe, . . .	11 70
R. C. North, blacksmithing, . . .	16 07
Dr. Chas. Jordan, land damages, as awarded, . . .	300 00
Eliza M. Doyle, " " . . .	400 00
Total, . . .	<hr/> \$3,411 00

EXTENSION OF GAS PLANT.

Feb. 1, 1897, Balance available from last year's (bonds),	\$5 76
Expended as per report of light board,	5 76

LEGAL SERVICES E. A. UPTON, KELLY vs. TOWN.

Nov. 8, Appropriation authorized,	\$325 00
Paid Edward A. Upton, as voted, for professional services,	325 00

TOWN HOUSE EXPENSES.

March 8, 1897, Appropriation authorized,	\$1,500 00
Feb. 1, 1898, Income, 1 year to date, as voted,	473 00
Nov. 15, 1897, Additional appropriation,	300 00
Total,	<u>\$2,273 00</u>

Expended as follows:

R. F. Draper, janitor, 1 year to Feb. 1, 1898,	\$600 00
“ sundry expenses paid by him,	13 25
Municipal Light Plant, 39,500 hours electric light- ing, 1 year to Jan. 1, 1898,	395 00
Municipal Light Plant, 252,600 feet gas, 1 year to Jan. 1, 1898,	455 34
Municipal Light Plant, 60 incandescent lamps at 25 cts.,	15 00
Cutler Bros., oil, soap, hardware, etc.,	15 46
H. F. Miller & Sons Piano Co., moving piano,	4 00
Geo. H. Taylor, hardware, labor, etc.,	13 92
Charles A. Cheney, 2 diaries,	80
D. W. Hunt, teaming ashes and refuse,	3 90
E. B. Nye, care of piano, 1 year,	10 00
Alvin L. Vannah, spring for door,	90
Dana Dudley, repairing lock,	77
Braman, Dow & Co., labor in lockup and sundries,	53 22
Lucas Bros., repairs on clock,	2 50
John Flanley, repairs and curtain,	2 25
J. P. Benson, reseating 9 chairs,	2 25

A. J. Wilkinson & Co., yale lock and keys.	\$3 38
Hoyt B. Parker, carpenter work,	8 50
Wakefield Water Co., service, 1 year,	60 40
Greenough, Adams & Cushing, 1 case toilet paper,	5 00
J. H. Draper, labor on boiler,	2 50
E. I. Purrington, carpenter work and material,	23 69
C. W. Sunman, repairs on loop,	8 43
S. F. Littlefield & Co., labor and hardware,	6 77
B. R. Rosson, supplies for battery,	2 53
Mansfield & Cheney, 55 485-2000 tons coal at \$4.67,	258 00
C. Latimer, expressing,	2 65
Peerless Powder Co., $\frac{1}{2}$ barrel washing powder,	6 48
Wm. O. Evans, labor at town house,	25 50
J. S. Bonney, sponges, sulphur, etc.,	5 65
F. W. Hayden, labor in lockup,	3 00
J. W. Poland & Co., blankets and curtains,	7 25
C. H. Spencer, lumber,	1 06
Jesse M. Knapp, iron beds,	52 30
Bliss Bros., blocks and line,	1 19
J. P. Benson, reseating 2 chairs,	1 50
R. J. Lawder, electrical work,	14 00
C. C. Bridge, painting and glazing,	3 00
Morrill & Atwood, ice, 1 year,	12 00
Hoyt B. Parker, labor in lockup,	5 00
C. C. Bridge, painting and glazing,	11 50
J. B. Wiley, lathing and plastering,	17 24
S. F. Littlefield & Co., mops, brushes, etc.,	6 02
Geo. M. Kelley, iron work, tramp room,	1 75
Total,	\$2,144 85
Balance unexpended,	128 15
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	\$2,273 00

MILITARY AID.

March 15, 1897, Appropriation authorized, . . . \$900 00

Expended as follows :

William Beattie,	\$120 00
Charles L. Harmus,	144 00
Frank W. Hayden,	120 00
James F. Mansfield,	108 00
Charles H. Shepard.	162 00
George H. Stoddard,	20 00
Alexander A. Stubbs,	76 00
Jeremiah Whitehead,	96 00
Christopher C. Eldredge,	30 00

Total, \$876 00

Balance unexpended, 24 00

\$900 00

TOWN OF WAKEFIELD.

Auditors' final balance sheet for the year, showing amount for each department, together with the expenditure in each, amount overdrawn, and the unexpended balance :

	Amounts avail- able for year 1897-98.	Expended.	Unexpended balance.	Balance overdrawn.
For Miscellaneous Expenses	\$4,500 00	\$4,455 40	\$44 60	.....
“ Support of Poor.....	10,268 99	10,262 20	6 79	.....
“ Support of Schools.....	29,213 26	28,633 84	579 42	.....
“ School Contingent Fund	2,000 00	2,575 06	.....	575 06
“ School Text Books and Supplies	2,250 00	2,244 59	5 41	.....
“ Salaries of Town Officers	4,825 00	4,905 00	.....	80 00
“ Salaries of Night Watch- men.....	1,800 00	1,800 00	.....	.....
“ Expense of Town House	2,273 00	2,144 85	128 15	.....
“ Support of Fire Depart- ment.....	3,200 00	3,210 38	.....	10 38
“ Rental of Hydrants.....	4,340 00	4,340 00	.....	.....
“ Support of Police De- partment.....	1,450 00	1,346 27	103 73	.....
“ Common and Park Im- provement	500 00	417 90	82 10	.....
“ Memorial Day.....	200 00	200 00	.....	.....
“ Highways and Bridges	8,509 89	8,515 77	.....	5 88
“ Concrete Sidewalks and Crossings.	514 75	499 87	14 88	.....
“ Military Aid.....	900 00	876 00	24 00	.....
“ Soldiers' Relief.....	2,500 00	2,609 50	.....	109 50
“ Printing, Advertising and Stationery.....	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
“ Forest Fire Ward Ex- penses.....	600 00	600 00	.....	.....
“ Fish Committee Ex- penses.....	25 00	25 00	.....	.....
“ Warren School Building (Bonds).....	1,083 53	1,083 53	.....	.....
“ Greenwood School Build- ing (Bonds).....	2,509 94	1,235 54	1,274 40	.....
“ Edgestones.....	292 44	247 90	44 54	.....
“ General Expenses Munic- ipal Light Plant.....	22,222 40	20,120 27	2,102 13	.....
“ Insurance Premiums....	750 00	791 15	.....	41 15
“ Extension Gas Mains...	488 98	488 98	.....	.....

For Extension Gas Plant (Bonds)	\$5 76	\$5 76	.....	.....
Richardson Light Guard Expenses	600 00	477 49	\$122 51	.....
Maps, Plans and Surveys	3,000 00	2,335 60	664 40	.....
Furnishing Warren Sch. Buildings	161 05	161 05	.....	.....
Damages, John Drugan	500 00	500 00	.....	.....
July 4th Celebration....	100 00	100 00	.....	.....
Jordan Avenue.....	3,411 00	3,411 00	.....	.....
Cooper Street.....	1,479 50	.....	1,479 50	.....
Nellie Street.....	124 65	31 69	92 96	.....
Byron Street..	198 50	159 69	38 81	.....
Extension Electric Lines	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	.....
Fire Escape, Greenwood School.....	200 00	162 00	38 00	.....
Goodale Land Damage, Jordan Avenue.....	100 00	100 00	.....	.....
Damages, Hunt vs. Town of Wakefield.....	2,795 68	2,795 68	.....	.....
Legal Services, C. W. Bartlett (Hunt suit) ..	714 00	714 00	.....	.....
Legal Services, E. A. Up- ton (Kelly suit)	325 00	325 00	.....	.....
Engine House Cesspool ..	62 06	56 74	5 32	.....
Gould Street and Side- walk Repairs.....	125 00	87 50	37 50	.....
Broadway Repairs.....	500 00	397 12	102 88	.....
Public Library.....	1,150 49	1,169 15	.....	\$18 66
Public Reading Room... ..	175 00	174 48	52	.....
Interest on Town Debt ..	14,159 43	13,010 85	1,148 58	.....
Totals	\$139,104 30	\$131,803 80	\$8,141 13	\$840 63

ALBERT W. FLINT,

Sec'y Board of Auditors.

WAKEFIELD, Jan. 31, 1898.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee, after its first year of service, offers the report of its doings, with recommendations for appropriations, pursuant to the municipal rules.

The committee was called into being, from a realization by the voters of the town that extravagant expenditures were often hastily authorized at town meetings, when a better investigation of facts and reasons would have prevented the excessive outlay.

Acting under the municipal rules adopted by the town Feb. 1, 1897, all articles in town warrants, involving the appropriation of money, have been referred to this committee, public hearings given, and after thorough consideration, reports and recommendations made to the town. The committee have worked earnestly and harmoniously during the year, without remuneration, in the spirit of economy and not of parsimony, and it is hoped some money has been saved to the town without impairing the efficiency of the departments. It has been thought reasonable and wise to recommend indefinite postponement in respect to numerous articles in the town warrants, and concerning many other articles to suggest reduction in the sums of money asked for, and the voters in town meeting, though sometimes more generous than the committee, have in most cases sustained their recommendations.

The committee organized Feb. 27, 1897, by the election of Chester W. Eaton, Chairman, and Albert R. Perkins, Secretary.

There have been fourteen sessions of the committee with an average attendance of eleven members, the smallest attendance being eight and the largest fourteen. At the town meeting in March, twenty-four articles were referred to the Finance Committee and in November there were also twenty-four articles so referred, making a total of forty-eight; on these articles and also the an-

nual municipal appropriations for the various departments, fifty hearings have been given.

After due and careful consideration of the estimates presented by the several departments, the committee recommend that the following amounts be raised and appropriated for the use of said departments for the ensuing financial year :

Support of Schools, General,	\$29,950 00
Contingent,	2,250 00
Books and supplies,	2,500 00
Poor Department, income from farm and outside sources and	6,000 00
Fire Department,	3,300 00
Municipal Light Board, general, income from plant and	1,500 00
Municipal Light Plant, extension of gas lines,	3,000 00
extension of electric lines,	500 00
Town House Expenses, receipts and	1,800 00
Highways and bridges,	9,000 00
Concrete sidewalks,	500 00
Stone Crossings,	300 00
Edgestones,	250 00
*Police Department, including Night Watch,	3,800 00
Salaries of Town Officers :	
Town Clerk,	\$200 00
Selectmen (\$300 for Secretary)	800 00
Assessors,	900 00
Treasurer,	400 00
Collector of Taxes,	500 00
Overseers of Poor,	300 00
†Highway Surveyor,	900 00
Board of Health,	100 00
Fire Engineers,	100 00
Auditors,	215 00
Municipal Light Board,	250 00

*The committee recommend that an additional permanent police officer be employed; also that the Police and Night Watch be consolidated into a single department.

†Including the expenses of a horse.

Registrars of Voters,	\$215 00
Forest Firewards,	75 00
Town Solicitor,	500 00
Milk Inspector,	100 00
Total,	\$5,555 00
Miscellaneous Expenses,	3,500 00
Rental of Hydrants,	4,340 00
Military Aid,	900 00
Soldiers' Relief,	2,900 00
Memorial Day,	250 00
Insurance Premiums,	600 00
Richardson Light Guard,	600 00
Printing, Advertising and Stationery,	1,000 00
Interest on Town Debt,	13,500 00
Town Library, dog tax and	400 00
Public Reading Room,	175 00
Common and Park,	400 00
Fish Committee,	25 00
Forest Fire-Wards,	600 00

The terms of William P. Shepard, George H. S. Driver, Albert E. Duffill, Charles A. Dean and Albert R. Perkins expire this year, and it becomes necessary to elect five members of the committee for a term of three years.

For the Committee.

CHESTER W. EATON, *Chairman.*

ALBERT R. PERKINS, *Secretary.*

ANNUAL REPORT

—OF THE—

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

—OF THE—

TOWN OF WAKEFIELD,

—FOR THE—

YEAR ENDING JAN. 31, 1898.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE FOR 1897-98.

Ashton H. Thayer, Greenwood,	.	.	Term expires, 1898
Mrs. Ida F. Carlisle, Summit Ave.,	.	.	" " 1898
Selim S. White, 34 Chestnut Street,	.	.	" " 1899
Miss Eliza M. Greenwood, 10 Lafayette Street,	"	"	" " 1899
William B. Daniel, Pearl Street,	.	.	" " 1900
Melvin J. Hill, cor. Pleasant and Bryant Streets,	"	"	" " 1900

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

Charles E. Hussey, 12 Wave Avenue.

WAKEFIELD, MASS. :

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1898.

ORGANIZATION OF THE BOARD.

ASHTON H. THAYER,	<i>Chairman.</i>
MRS. IDA F. CARLISLE,	<i>Secretary.</i>
WM. B. DANIEL,	.	.	.	.	.	<i>Treasurer.</i>

SUB-COMMITTEES.

RULES AND REGULATIONS.

MRS. IDA F. CARLISLE,	A. H. THAYER.	S. S. WHITE.
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COURSE OF STUDY.

M. J. HILL,	S. S. WHITE,	MISS E. M. GREENWOOD.
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TEACHERS AND SALARIES.

A. H. THAYER,	MISS E. M. GREENWOOD,	S. S. WHITE.
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TEXT-BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

S. S. WHITE.	M. J. HILL,	MISS E. M. GREENWOOD.
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MUSIC AND DRAWING.

MISS E. M. GREENWOOD,	W. B. DANIEL,	MRS. IDA F. CARLISLE.
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PRUDENTIAL.

A. H. THAYER,	W. B. DANIEL,	MRS. IDA F. CARLISLE.
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FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS.

W. B. DANIEL,	S. S. WHITE,	MRS. IDA F. CARLISLE.
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TRUANT OFFICERS.

ALVIN L. VANNAH,	RUFUS F. DRAPER.
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SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

CHARLES E. HUSSEY.

OFFICE HOURS.

Tuesdays and Fridays, 4 to 5 p. m., at School Committee Rooms, Flanley Block.

MEETINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Third Friday evening of each month at 7.45 p. m., at School Committee Rooms,

SCHOOL COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

In accordance with custom and the laws of the Commonwealth we herewith present the annual report of this board.

The subject of a common school education has been so much discussed, that if it were an ordinary subject it would long since have been worn threadbare; but being as it is, a matter of vital interest to the state and to the entire country, as well as to the individual town, the subject is ever new, even though much that is said and written may be a repetition of what has been said before.

A common school education, what is it, or what should it be? There is, and undoubtedly always will be, a diversity of opinion on this matter, whether it should constitute only reading, writing and ciphering, or whether it should not go farther. It is no small problem to know just what course to pursue to awaken the public to the importance of their interest individually as well as collectively, in our public schools. The trustees of the Sweetser Lecture Fund have done much in this direction in the excellent course of lectures which they have provided this past winter by leading educators. Such names as the following, with the subjects treated by them, command the attention of all thinking people. Prof. Geo. H. Palmer, on "Self Cultivation in English." President G. Stanley Hall, of Clark University, on "The Love and Study of Nature." Prof. Tomlins of Chicago, on "Music as an Educator." Mr. Hamilton W. Mabie, editor of the Outlook, on "The Creative Element in Education." Mrs. Alice Freeman Palmer, on "The Transformation of Society, and the share the school may have therein," and Miss Sarah L. Arnold, supervisor of the Boston schools, on "Essentials in Education."

Miss Arnold says: "What the teacher is, determines what the boy or girl will be." Prof. Tomlins' lecture was a good illustration of this, imbuing his audience with the very spirit of his words. And so is the child imbued with the spirit of the teacher, and what this spirit is, whether it be to impart to the pupil purpose and principle as well as knowledge, or whether it be merely to fulfill a contract to teach because one is paid to do it, will determine what the influence of the teacher will be.

That there is an awakened interest in our schools is evidenced by the fact that the Kosmos Club have had two excellent talks on education by the Hon. Fred Gowen, State Superintendent of Schools for New Hampshire, and that they also have a standing committee whose duty it is to interest themselves and the club in the work of the schools. The Alumni Association have also manifested their interest by offering two prizes for excellence in historical essays.

It is a much to be regretted fact that money—or the want of it—plays such an important part in the retention of good teachers. We are practically at the mercy of the larger and wealthier places. It is worth no more to teach a school of a certain size and grade in Boston than it is in Wakefield or any other town, nor are good teachers any more necessary in cities than in other places. The life of cities is largely sustained by the influx of young men and women from the towns; hence it is of vital interest that the schooling of every town in the state should be made as nearly equal as the employment and retention of good instructors can make it so.

Fitness for the work in character, education and training should determine the appointment of the teacher, and all other matters should be secondary. When good teachers *are* found they are worth retaining at almost any cost; but it is too often the case that these very qualities make it almost certain under present conditions, that the

term of service will be a short one, for some city or wealthy town, or teachers' agency will send out their foragers and the school records will show that a resignation has been "accepted with regrets." This condition of things certainly is not right. The state should impose and apportion a tax for the equalization of teachers' salaries. Not a charity tax to take from the rich to help the poor, but a tax on a broader plane of making a good common school education universal and as nearly equal as possible in all towns of the Commonwealth.

The loss of teachers from other causes is, of course, unavoidable at times, and however much we may regret such loss, we must bow gracefully to the inevitable and wish them God speed in their new fields.

The committee heartily concur in the sentiments expressed in the reports of the superintendent, and principal of the high school, regarding Miss Strong's resignation.

HIGH SCHOOL.

Any town may well feel proud of possessing a good high school, one which is both prosperous and efficient. We believe we have such a school in our town, but we also believe that its efficiency can be made still greater.

The principal of the high school, in his report to the superintendent of schools, offers some suggestions which we copy and for which we ask careful consideration :

"The work of the school during the past year has moved along quietly and with very little friction. There is manifest an increasing tendency to look upon school attendance as a serious matter and to regard the privileges afforded by the school as valuable and commensurate with their cost. During the year, in the resignation of Miss Strong, our corps of teachers has suffered a loss which, I have felt, it could ill-afford, and I wish to embrace this first opportunity to make public acknowledgement of the school's indebtedness to her for her devotion to its best and highest interests. The new course of study

is now almost completely in operation and seems to be meeting the needs of the pupils. One change from the course as originally adopted is to be noticed. Drawing in the second-year class has been made elective instead of compulsory. Fully one-half of the class elected the subject. In this connection I wish to recur to a subject discussed at some length in my first report two years ago. In that report a few considerations regarding a business course were brought to your attention. A course such as is in mind would not be intended, primarily, to teach our pupils merely to record business done by others, training therefor book-keepers, type writers and amanuenses, but it would rather be calculated to put them in the way of being business men and women for themselves. A school may easily make the mistake of putting the emphasis upon the things of the book, forgetting that its pupils are now, not to be, a part of the living world around them and that it is its function to open the eyes of these young people so that they may realize that they are a part of a life to which they have been strangers.

The following is submitted as an outline of a course which could, without doing violence to existing courses, be administered in connection with them.

<i>First year.</i>	<i>Second year.</i>	<i>Third year.</i>	<i>Fourth year.</i>
English,	English,	English,	English,
Ancient History,	Mediaeval History,	English History,	Civics and American
Algebra.	Geometry,	Physical Geog.,	History,
Civics,	Physics,	Bookkeeping, in-	French,
Botany,	French,	cluding Industrial	Commercial Law,
Physiology,	Geology	Arithmetic,	Principles of Com-
Drawing.	(elementary).	Commercial Arith.,	merce,
		Type writing,	Stenography, etc.
		Local industries.	
		French.	

“The school continues to maintain itself as a fitting school for college. At the present time out of the twenty pupils in the senior class, nearly one-half are looking definitely forward to entering college next fall and in the lower classes the number hoping to pursue advanced courses of study seems to be on the increase. It will be noticed on reference to the high school statistics as against ninety pursuing Latin last year, there are with a smaller entering class this year one hundred and five. Representatives of the school are to be found in Amherst, Harvard,

Harvard Medical school, Tufts, Wellesley, Smith, Boston University, Dartmouth and the Salem Normal school. As far as numbers go the school holds its own remarkably well, when the fact is taken into consideration that the entering class is smaller by twenty-five than that of last year. The largest number enrolled at any one time, has been one hundred and seventy-four, as against one hundred and seventy-one last year. The outlook for next year indicates a school larger than at any previous time, a school of two hundred pupils not being out of the question. The percentage of attendance has practically returned to the high water mark of two years ago.

“ We have to acknowledge a generous gift of books and physical apparatus from Dr. E. P. Colby, a large solar print of the capitol at Washington from the class of 1900, and two prizes, \$10 and \$5 respectively, from the Alumni Association to be bestowed upon members of the senior class for excellence in historical essays.”

It is feared by some that the introduction of a commercial course will be detrimental to and result in lowering the standard of the school, and they add emphasis to their fears by pointing to places which have tried the experiment and failed, but with such studies in the third and fourth year classes as proposed by Mr. Howe we believe the standard of the school would be maintained and its efficiency increased, and the school certainly should afford the greatest good to the greatest number.

The following interesting facts are from the annual report of Harvard College: “ Of thirty-seven Freshmen dropped, one was from another college, three were from private tutors, four from academies, four from public Latin schools, five from high schools and twenty were from private day or boarding schools.”

The desirability of a good education is well illustrated by the following incident in the life of Abraham Lincoln. After listening to arguments in a famous patent law suit in which Mr. Stanton was one of the counsel, Mr. Lincoln said to a

friend, .. Emerson, I am going home—I am going home to study law. Why, his friend exclaimed, Mr. Lincoln, you stand at the head of the bar in Illinois, now! What are you talking about? Ah, yes, he said, I do occupy a good position there, and I think that I can get along with the way things are done there now. But these college trained men who have devoted their whole lives to study, are coming west, don't you see? And they study their cases as we never do."

SCHOOL ACCOMMODATIONS.

In our report of January, 1896, reference was made to the relief which would be afforded the centre schools upon completion of the Warren school. Though the relief came, it was of short duration and last year it became necessary to divide the advanced grammar or ninth grade school, and a part of this school was placed in the high school building, but if Mr. Howe's estimate of the probable number of scholars (200) in the high school next Sept. is correct, the capacity of that building will be taxed almost to its limit. The seating capacity of the high school room is 130 and of the former grammar school room 84, making a total of 214. The estimate of 200 as the probable number next fall does not include any part of the ninth grade.

Every room in the Lincoln building is occupied, including the former school committee room which was enlarged. The Franklin street district is poorly accommodated, many of the children being obliged to attend the Hamilton school, which is a long distance and necessitates crossing two railroad tracks, and this is very objectionable to the parents. All the rooms of the Greenwood school are occupied and the primary grade is more than full. From the above it will be seen that the town must in the very near future consider: 1st, more ample accommodations for the centre district either by additions to the Lincoln and high school buildings for which there is ample room or the erection of other buildings.

2nd, either a new building in the Franklin street district or accommodations for that district in the centre, and 3d, the extension within a short time of the Greenwood school house, and probably this spring or in the fall the establishment of a primary school in the old building, and a new school in the North Ward and Warren school houses. Boyntonville children are still unprovided for except by our paying their tuition at Melrose. The projected bridge across the track (owing to opposing interests of land owners, railroad company and grade crossings, which cannot be abolished) exists only on paper and in the hopeful imagination of those who see its need and are working for its erection. A school building for the primary grades in this district is desirable and should be included with the other districts for early consideration by the town.

Owing to the need of more school room at the Lincoln building, the school committee were obliged to vacate their quarters and after conferring with the selectmen, as suitable accommodations could not be provided at the town house it was decided to hire a room in Flanley's block. We believe provision should be made for all town officers in the town hall building, but this is not practicable while the library occupies its present quarters.

PRUDENTIAL, REPAIRS, ETC.

In our report of last year we called attention to the necessity of extensive repairs on the high school building. The balustrades above the eaves of the building are a continual source of expense, and they should be removed and the roof slated to the eaves. The roof and underpinning need thorough repairing and the building needs painting. Though these repairs come properly within the province of the school committee, we believe it advisable to have a special committee make a thorough examination of the building and report as to the extent and cost of needed re-

pairs. Owing to the large number of scholars in the high school building more room was needed for clothing and better communication between the front and rear part of the building on the first floor. This was obtained by removing some partitions and throwing one or two small, dark and almost useless rooms into the lower hall, and greatly improving this part of the building. Considerable repairing of concrete is necessary about the Hamilton school, and the lower room of the North Ward schoolhouse in all probability will need to be fitted up and furnished this year, and the Montrose schoolhouse needs shingling and repairing.

It is with great regret that we record the death of Mr. George E. Gamage, who for over twenty years had charge of the school buildings on the hill. Mr. Gamage was a genial, kind-hearted man; diligent in his work and always ready to do a favor for teachers or scholars, and he will be long and kindly remembered by the thousands of pupils who have known him, as well as by teachers and school committees under whom he served. He died in the harness, being sick but one week.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

After a careful consideration of the needs of the school department for the year 1897-8 the following appropriations were recommended and were granted by the town :

General, for superintendent, teachers, janitors	
and fuel,	\$28,000 00
Books and supplies.	2,250 00
Incidentals,	2,000 00
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Total,	\$32,250 00

Following is a more detailed statement of the receipts and expenditures :

Received for general expenses,	\$28,000 00
“ “ tuition, (\$622.50 on last year's acc't, \$590.76 on this year's acc't),	1,213 26
Total receipts,	<hr/> \$29,213 26
Paid teachers and superintendent of schools, .	\$24,022 53
“ janitors,	2,058 17
“ for fuel,	2,315 64
“ Melrose for tuition,	237 50
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	\$28,633 84
Balance,	\$579 42
Received for books and supplies,	\$2,250 00
Expended,	2,245 59
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Balance,	\$5 41
Appropriations for incidentals,	\$2,000 00
Expended,	\$2,575 06
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Overdraft,	\$575 06

From the above it will be seen that the amount unexpended on the general appropriation is \$579.42 ; and the unexpended balance for books and supplies is \$5.41 ; and also, that there is an over-draft on the contingent appropriation amounting to \$576.06.

When the estimates of the school committee were presented to the appropriation committee for their consideration last February it was expected that the several sums for tuition of out of town pupils would be available to place to the credit of either the general, supply, or contingent appropriation as the needs of each of these accounts seemed to demand, at or near the close of the fiscal year. It was however voted by the town that the money received for tuition should apply only to the general appropriation, or as the vote was actually passed “ that all money received as tuition shall be credited to the appropriation from which tuition bills against the town are paid.”

This to the committee seems an unnecessary and ill-advised restriction. It has been the custom for years to place this money to the credit of each or any one department as was necessary.

The result to the town is the same in either case, but while tuitions are paid from the general appropriation, the expense for educating pupils comes from each appropriation and if it is desirable to restrict the placing of this money by the committee then it should be divided proportionately among the three appropriations.

The total receipts and expenditures for the year have been as follows :

Appropriations.	\$32,250 00
Tuitions.	1,213 26
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Total.	\$33,463 26
Expended	\$33,453 49
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Net balance,	\$9 77

For the ensuing year the committee recommend the following appropriations :

General, for superintendent, teachers, janitors							
and fuel,	\$29,950 00
Books and supplies.	2,500 00
Incidentals,	2,250 00
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Total,	\$34,700 00

These estimates do not include outstanding bills, which, with one or two exceptions, have come in since the closing of the accounts :

Outstanding bills,	\$292 86
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A. H. THAYER, *Chairman*;
S. S. WHITE,
M. J. HILL,
WM. B. DANIEL,
MISS E. M. GREENWOOD,
MRS. I. F. CARLISLE, *Secretary*.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE :

In conformity with the custom and regulations of the School Committee, I have the honor to present my fifth annual report as superintendent of the schools of Wakefield.

The school year consists of forty weeks, which is the time now fixed upon as most acceptable to parents and school authorities in Massachusetts towns. The schools of Wakefield began Sept. 8, 1896, and closed June 30, 1897. A vacation of one week was allowed at Christmas, and a week in April. On account of holidays and stormy days the actual length of the school year for 1897 was 37 weeks.

STATISTICS.

Population, census of 1880,	. . . . .	5547
“ “ “ 1890,	. . . . .	6982
“ “ “ 1895,	. . . . .	8304
“ estimated, 1897,	. . . . .	8700

According to the school census the number of children in town between five and fifteen years on May 1 was as follows :

1891,	. . . . .	1223
1892,	. . . . .	1249
1893,	. . . . .	1336
1894,	. . . . .	1341
1895,	. . . . .	1433
1896,	. . . . .	1501
1897, males 787, females 776,	. . . . .	1563
Number not in school for various reasons,	. . . . .	142
Number between 8 and 14 years,	. . . . .	874
Length of school year,	. . . . .	40 weeks
Days lost—stormy weather, holidays, etc.,	. . . . .	15 days
Actual length of whole year,	. . . . .	37 weeks

ENROLLMENT AND ATTENDANCE.

Total enrollment of pupils from Feb. '93 to Feb. '94,	.	1570
“ “ “ “ Feb. '94 to Feb. '95,	.	1680
“ “ “ “ Feb. '95 to Feb. '96,	.	1882
“ “ “ “ Feb. '96 to Feb. '97,	.	1863
“ “ “ “ Feb. '97 to Feb. '98,	.	1893
“ “ “ in May,	.	1564
“ “ “ “ October,	.	1603
Average number belonging in May,	.	1540.3
“ “ “ “ October,	.	1568.5
“ “ “ “ year,	.	1597.7
“ daily attendance for year,	.	1497.2
Per cent of attendance for year,	.	93.5

The following changes have occurred in the corps of teachers during the year.

Resignations :

Hattie A. Currier,	Lincoln.	April.
Carrie E. Strong,	High,	June.
Lieut. P. J. Flanders.	Military Instructor,	June.
Anna W. Atkins,	Greenwood.	December.
Martha W. Bangs.	Lincoln.	December.

Transferred :

L. Isadore Wood,	Franklin to Lincoln.
Katharine E. Kelly.	Woodville to Franklin.
Mary I. Hawkins,	Montrose to Greenwood.

Elections :

Rebecca M. O'Connell,	West Ward.	April.
Jennie L. Carter,	Lincoln,	April.
Clara F. Barnes,	High,	Sept.
Mabel P. Wall,	High,	Sept.
Grace M. Dennison.	Lincoln,	Sept.
H. Gertrude Elliott,	Montrose,	December.
Flora E. Elliott,	Ass't, Woodville,	December.
Lieut. Chas. E. Walton,	Military Instructor.	December

MUSIC AND DRAWING.

That I may give no false impression from recommendations that may follow, of the estimate I make of the educational value of music and drawing, I will in advance express a belief that they occupy a very important place in the course of study in the schools. This honorable position belongs to them by reason of their essential worth as branches of education, and as ready sources of pleasure that may be at the command of, and thoroughly enjoyed by the children, throughout their entire lives. It may not be out of place at this time to refer to the skill and proficiency noticeable in these studies under the supervision of the special teachers.

It is not to be expected, however, nor is it possible for the public schools to furnish instruction that will carry all pupils to that point of excellence worthy of special mention. In the high school, to which only I now refer, it seems to me injudicious to compel those pupils who are somewhat deficient in these subjects to continue them through the whole or a part of the high school course, to the exclusion of the study of subjects more nearly in accord with the general lines of work which each desires to take and which may be advantageous or necessary as a preparation for higher courses elsewhere. As far as is possible, it is a wise plan for the high school, and a great privilege to its pupils, for each to be allowed to elect such courses as he may prefer. This of course is not entirely possible in schools having a teaching corps of six regular and two special teachers.

To a policy of offering more elective courses and allowing pupils opportunities for choice, I invite your attention.

According to the present regulations, all children are obliged to take music in all grades including the entire high school course, and drawing until the close of its second year. This gives in music about one and one-half hours per week for thirteen years, and drawing about one and one-half hours per week for ten years. In September last, however,

it was decided to make drawing optional in the second year of the high school. About one-half the class chose the drawing.

I recommend as to the singing in the high school that those pupils be excused from this exercise who have no especial aptitude for music, the decision as to who shall be excused to be made by the supervisor of music and the high school principal. The pupil thus excused shall be actively engaged in some other recitation during the music period. This would reduce the number now taking singing possibly twenty-five per cent., and improve the quality of the singing.

As to the drawing, I recommend that this subject be elective throughout the four years, giving thus an opportunity for some who now take it because they are obliged to by the regulations, to select some other study, and the privilege to all pupils in all grades of the school to continue it, if they so choose, for the reason that they may enjoy the work or need it as a preparation for the Institute of Technology or some scientific school.

This policy, I believe, would insure more interest and enjoyment in the special studies, less friction and complaint from the few who prefer other courses, more rapid progress and further advancement, greater skill and proficiency among those who elect these subjects, and better results for the efforts of pupils, the time of teachers and the expense of these departments.

TEACHERS' LIBRARY.

From the time when the business of teaching was represented by a class little entitled to much respect in the eyes of the people, to that period in our own lives, when we can look back with pleasure to the one teacher or the few who aroused in our minds a desire for knowledge, pointed us the path to it, and furnished us the inspiration to walk therein, till to-day, when the corps of teachers as members of a profession are better educated and more fully imbued with

the true professional spirit, though far short of what is ideal or desirable, the journey has been a long and devious one.

Teaching as a science and an art has now reached that importance and the ability and training of those that engage in it is of such a character that it may be called a profession, and the worthy members of it are entitled to equal respect with the workers in any other profession.

With each succeeding decade the demand for those with vigorous bodies, with strong minds and clear brains, of superior education and training, of successful experience under skilful and intelligent supervision has been more urgent and imperative. No person may now expect advancement or hope for much success who has become a teacher in the anticipation of a life of ease, or who lacks the elements of force and ability sufficient to warrant an honorable standing and promotion in any other walk of life. In advance of all other professions to accomplish what is and what rightfully may be expected of them, teachers should be strong in body and intellect, tenacious of purpose and fully in sympathy with their work. We are still far from that goal of knowledge and efficiency which we have set for ourselves; and yet, we believe that what is now being done is not without merit and deserves some praise. The teachers of this generation are simply pioneers in that new education whose ambition it is to train all the powers of youth to a more symmetrical development for a more complete enjoyment and a greater usefulness in life.

Energy is a vital element of progress, but energy controlled and directed is most fruitful of good results. Those of us who have been teaching for some years may not have had the advantages of a college course or the training of a normal school; we may have, however, the benefit of the thinking, the investigation and the experience of others in the valuable educational works published for the special use of teachers. Others may have had ampler opportunities for investigation,

and be possessed of broader views. Travel and associations may have extended the horizon of their educational life, results not possible with the rank and file of the army of teachers. Those who would excel must therefore studiously read and frequently review the writings of educational leaders. In constant association with children whose ideas are immature and frequently expressed in incorrect or scanty English, the teacher should turn gladly and often to the masterpieces of our language for inspiration and refreshment. Persistent, well chosen reading will alone keep those at the front whose days are filled with the confining details of the school room. No active teacher will fail to read some one of the ablest school journals, and should own some few pedagogical books which have been carefully read and discussed. No physician is without his library, nor should the teacher be without his. Mediocrity and indifference are not the passports to success in any calling.

To the end that none among us may fail to have the opportunity to read professional books, about twenty-five volumes bearing upon pedagogical and psychological subjects have been purchased. This is intended to be the beginning of a teachers' library. Additional volumes will be obtained from time to time, and every teacher is urged to do each year some professional reading. In education that universal law of the survival of the fittest cannot be disregarded. The self satisfied teacher who makes little effort to improve the methods of to-day, and would fit his present attainments to the duties of to-morrow, will soon find himself far from the front rank of the industrious and progressive.

WORK OF THE SCHOOLS.

The several courses of study now in use have had few changes during the past year. Nor would I recommend much change during the coming year. Constant effort to improve the quality of the work has been our aim. Those

changes authorized some time ago, and somewhat in the nature of an experiment, have now established themselves on a firmer basis. The teaching of Latin in the highest two grammar grades was a step in the right direction, and each year's experience proves that the time to begin this language with its forms and inflections is in the grammar school. Those who take Latin learn the technical English grammar in this way at a great saving of time and quite as thoroughly. The little book in geometry introduced into grade seven, in connection with arithmetic and drawing, has proved a useful and attractive feature of the work of this grade. The courses in drawing, for instruction in which the drawing teacher has held a large number of teachers' meetings for actual work as well as for instruction, is well developed and based on modern lines.

In the subject of reading, I find that facility to call words, to read sentences, to get the idea from the printed page for one's own use is clearly evident. From the standpoint of the reader I believe the reading is good, but from the position of the listener I am not so sure that we are doing as well. There seems to be a lack of expression in the reading, not that the hearer may understand, but that he must understand. To improvement in this direction it would seem best to direct our energies.

In the music the supervisor for some time has expressed a feeling that the music books, which had been in use for ten years, should be replaced by a new series that would give the children more drill work. This has been brought about and entirely new books have been put into the hands of all pupils in town from grade I to grade VI inclusive. With this new material the children are manifesting a fresh enthusiasm and zeal for singing.

With each succeeding year I can report more unity in our work, a fairer distribution of labor throughout the school course and a lessening of the uneven distances between the

different grades. Especially is this true in the interval between the ninth grade and the high school. Formerly the end of grade nine and the graduation at the high school marked very distinct periods in the progress of the scholar. It has been maintained that the years of attendance at school were simply a preparation for life; on the contrary, these years constitute a large part of life itself. From the kindergarten through the high school and beyond, the gradations in educational work should be adapted to the years of the individual; and, as far as possible, there should be a realization on the part of the pupil that the responsibility for success or failure depends in a large measure upon himself.

It is a subject for favorable remark that pupils from the grammar school now pass into the high with somewhat of an acquaintance with high school studies already acquired in the grammar schools, and prepared to carry them along without serious interruption. Entrance to the high school is not now regarded with a feeling of dread or distrust of ability to succeed with the high school studies, but with confident expectations that faithful, honest effort will receive its due reward. More pupils proportionally enter the high school now than formerly and continue in the courses longer. The changing of plans and the contingencies of life in the course of four years reduce the number in every high school class to smaller proportions at the graduations. This abridgement of the utilization of all the privileges which the town places at the disposal of pupils is a matter of regret; but it is far from an occasion for discouragement or extreme disappointment. A diploma is a mark of honor and an evidence of scholarly attainments; but those who by force of circumstances are obliged to cut short the high or even the grammar school course, having availed themselves faithfully of their opportunities, are by no means ill-fitted to take the duties of earning a livelihood, and should be awarded such praise as

their efforts deserve ; and also, may bear in mind that the avenues now open to all for further education are many and the means for it are usually at the command of the industrious and persevering.

Were they to investigate the matter it would probably be a surprise to many unacquainted with the facts to compare the requirements for entrance to college now with similar requirements of fifty years ago. Then, it was possible for some to say at graduation from college, " I am sixteen years of age ;" now, the most brilliant minds have difficulty in getting fitted for college at sixteen, and, were they fitted earlier, could not obtain admission till sixteen. The average age of a class admitted to a well-known institution in 1897 was eighteen and one-half years. More surprising than this even is the comparison of the modern high school with the academies of fifty years ago. At that time the basis and bulk of the preparation was the study of Latin and Greek. Some knowledge of mathematics was required. At present there is demanded a knowledge of English syntax, English authors and literature, Latin and usually Greek, a modern language, French or German, mathematics, history, and science, and in amount sufficient to stagger the valedictorians of not many years back.

The requirements for admission to college during the past fifteen years have increased amazingly. What would then allow a boy to enter with honor is now obtained with difficulty. History, science, an acquaintance with our mother tongue, a knowledge of the arts, proficiency in a modern language, mathematical skill, have risen up and demanded recognition. The study of the humanities is now accorded only its due share of time and energy. Furthermore, one who intends to pursue a college course ought to decide, upon entering the high school, what college he proposes to apply for admission to, and must bend all his energies towards the requirements for entrance to this institution, to the exclusion of many subjects that other college faculties

regard as equally essential, and by common consent are considered as highly desirable. The colleges now get all the students they can care for, and the question seems to be asked, why should not the standard for admission be high?

There are evident signs of a change of policy, in effect that the demands made upon the strength of the pupils are too great, leaving scant time for them to take such physical exercise as is needed for good health, and allowing little opportunity for the pleasures of home and social enjoyment which in the opinion of most parents and teachers is equally desirable with a knowledge of Greek roots and mature scholarship. Parents are aroused to the fact that their daughters are studying beyond their strength. In these matters the first to censure is the high school authorities, but the conditions make them almost powerless. The pupil has good ability and is faithful to the extreme; the high school instructors are usually capable, and thorough, and intensely interested in their classes, especially those that are fitting for college; the spirit of competition with other high schools becomes apparent.

For the most part the requirements of the colleges seem too comprehensive. It is worse than folly to ruin the health of boys and girls in fitting them to enter college. An education should be more than a knowledge of books. Social life and enjoyments, the accomplishment of music and a knowledge of art, the enjoyment of healthful out of door exercises, are by no means to be ignored. Youth is the time for all these things, and all are deserving their due proportion of time and attention. The high schools do not ask for a much lighter load, but they cannot carry a much heavier one. When the point is reached that the demands of study jeopardize the health of pupils and put in peril their usefulness for life, it comes to the point when parents will say, *No*. Better judgment seems to be prevailing, and the statement is made that the requirements for September, 1898, will be less than for several years.

If we can hold fast to the fundamental truth that mental and physical development go together, and that full maturity is not reached at eighteen or twenty-two, we shall have a standard that shall withstand the eccentricities of college faculties and educational theorists. An education is a product of growth and development, and the foundation should be a broad basis of good health, and a happy and contented mind.

In the Wakefield High School the courses of study are nearly the same as for the past two or three years. In a general way the work in the high school is being carried on energetically though quietly and without ostentation, conditions most likely to produce good results. The time allowed for military drill has been reduced one-half, placing it on the same basis as the calisthenics for the girls. More history and more English have been added, so that now these subjects are continued during the entire four years. Interesting facts relative to this school may be found in a table in the appendix of this report. These are presented for the past five years in such a way as to show a comparison with succeeding years and the increase in several departments.

The only change in the corps of teachers for this year has been in the department of Latin, which for several years has had the benefit of Miss Strong's valuable services. Miss Strong's resignation was accepted in June much to the regret of all with whom she had been associated; and Miss Clara A. Barnes, A. B., Vassar College, 1896, was elected to the charge of the Latin department. There is now a six years' course in Latin, two being in the grammar school, and Miss Barnes has a general supervision of all the six years.

On account of lack of school accomodation at the Lincoln Building, a division of grade nine was transferred to the High School Building and placed under the supervision of the high school principal, and in the immediate care of Miss Mabel P. Wall, A. B., Wellesley College, 1897. Miss Wall also conducts a few recitations in science in the high school.

Work in this school is now arranged on the departmental plan, that is, each teacher is assigned subjects of similar character, and in which in college or elsewhere she has had special instruction and training. The several departments are as follows :

Mr. Howe, . . .	Greek, . . .	Civics and Science.
Miss Poor, . . .	English, . . .	Mathematics.
“ Stevens, . . .	French, . . .	Gymnastics.
“ Williams, . . .	Science, . . .	Mathematics.
“ Goddard, . . .	History, . . .	Greek.
“ Barnes, . . .	Latin, . . .	
“ Wall, . . .	English, . . .	Mathematics, Science.

A single fact of administration adopted during the year is meeting with warm approval. It is the instituting of an afternoon session for the benefit of those who are deficient in their studies, or have been absent from school on account of illness or otherwise, or have been negligent and careless in their day's work. Such are permitted or requested to return for further work at the afternoon session. There is now no keeping after school. Quite a number each day return voluntarily for study and assistance. It also works very well with those inclined to waste time during the morning, giving them an opportunity to keep up with their classes. Some teacher or teachers are always in attendance. This arrangement is a great favor to those who otherwise would be obliged to pay for private instruction or fall behind their classes.

In the department of science, it must be admitted that nothing is attempted in the grammar and primary schools except in a desultory way by those teachers who may have some knowledge and some liking for any particular division of this subject. It is probably a fact that there is hardly a town around us that is not doing more in science than Wakefield. Of all the years of school life, the time to use one's eyes is in youth. The time to teach children to observe,

the time to teach science, is when children are willing to see. The power to acquire, to store up facts, is early in life, below twelve probably; the time to reason is beyond that age.

During the coming year, I hope the same kind of work now done in the high school may be brought down into the grammar and primary schools and suitably adapted to the age and ability of the different grades. It may be asserted, with little fear of discussion, that the power of observation in our children is least trained of all their faculties, and in no subject do the grammar school graduates enter the high school with as little training as in the subject of science.

With this report I complete five years of service as superintendent of schools. This period has passed very rapidly and pleasantly. Through the combined efforts of citizens, committee, teachers and pupils, there has been continuous and substantial improvement and prosperity in the schools. It is an honor to have taken some part in bringing the Wakefield schools to such a condition of efficiency as they now have, and while far from ideal and lacking in many features which may be regarded as highly essential to a broad and thorough education, an inspection by the parents and citizens of the town is invited to their condition and to a comparison with the schools of other towns similar to Wakefield both as to cost of maintenance and the character and quality of the school work.

As to a policy I am a firm believer in not clinging too tenaciously to the conservative ideas and customs of the past, nor advancing too hastily and boldly into untried projects, but always assuming that moderately aggressive attitude which stands ready to consider, free to endorse, and willing to attempt those plans which may have convinced our deliberative judgment of their feasibility and value.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES E. HUSSEY,
Superintendent of Schools.

REPORT OF TRUANT OFFICERS.

To the Superintendent of Schools:

The annual report of truant officers for the year ending Jan. 31, 1898, is hereby respectfully submitted.

Number of cases reported for investigation, 65; of which 23 were cases of truancy, and 42 were cases of negligence of the parents. The above cases include verbal reports of teachers who were casually met. There were also quite a number of cases which came to our attention without notice from the school authorities, which were investigated, of which nearly all, or a large majority, were cases of negligence of parents. In but one case of the 23 cases of truancy did it become necessary to resort to the courts, and he was committed to the truant school for the term of two years.

We extend our acknowledgments to the superintendent of schools and teachers for their assistance and co-operation in our duties.

Respectfully submitted,

ALVIN L. VANNAH,

R. F. DRAPER,

Truant Officers.

February 1, 1898.

Wakefield High School—Graduating Exercises.

Town Hall, Wednesday Evening, June 30, 1897.

PROGRAMME.

OVERTURE

HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRA.

CHORUS — “Soldier’s Chorus,” *Gounod’s “Faust”*

SALUTATORY AND ESSAY — “The Value of a High School Course.”

ESTELLA EUGENIE SIGOURNEY PERKINS.

CHORUS — “The Chase,” *Arr. by Wilson*

RECITATION — “The Poet’s Tale,” *Longfellow*

CLARA TERESA SKULLEY.

ORATION — “Biennial Elections,”

RUTHERFORD ENDICOTT SMITH.

SEMI-CHORUS — “March of Our Nation,” *Geibel*

DECLAMATION — “True Grandeur of Nations,” *Sumner*

WILLIAM EDGAR PITTOCK.

ORATION — “Annexation to Boston — or Not ?”

VERSON WOODMAN GOOCH.

SEMI-CHORUS — “Spring Song,” *E. Lassen*

DECLAMATION (with Salutatory rank) —

“The Last Day of Pompeii,” *Lord Lytton*

MICHAEL FRANCIS ROACH.

CHORUS — “Away to the Fields,” *Wilson*

VALEDICTORY AND ESSAY — “To Finish is to Begin.”

MARION PUTNAM MACQUINN.

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS,

SUPT. CHARLES E. HUSSEY.

CLASS ODE Written by ESTELLA E. S. PERKINS.

BENEDICTION.

REV. N. R. EVERTS.

Motto — *Finir c’est Commencer.*

GRADUATES.

ENGLISH COURSE.

Timothy John Ardill,	Verson Woodman Gooch,
William Francis Barrett,	Frank William Harnden,
George Sarsfield Coakley.	Robert William O'Connor.
John Francis Coakley.	William Edgar Pittock,
Priscilla Abbie Cloudman,	Michael Francis Roach,
Lillian Josephine Cooke,	Clara Teresa Skulley.
Rutherford Endicott Smith.	

CLASSICAL COURSE.

Maud Lillian Arnold,	Marion Putnam MacQuinn.
Estella Eugenie Sigourney Perkins.	

CLASS ODE.

WRITTEN BY ESTELLA EUGENIE SIGOURNEY PERKINS.

Good bye, old school, within whose walls
 We've gladly found our way,
 Where hours of toil have seemed so light,
 With comrades day by day.
 But now we pass to broader fields,
 To Life's rough-billowed sea;
 We breathe the wish that friendship's ties
 From change may all be free.

Farewell, now, friends and schoolmates dear:
 Farewell, kind teachers true;
 Farewell, beloved classmates, here
 We sadly say adieu.
 And may the Lord who reigns above,
 Our pathway strew with flowers;
 E'en though this parting brings us pain,
 Beyond we see Life's bowers.

Now softly as the daylight fades
 And shades of night appear,
 The thought that we tonight must part.
 Calls forth a silent tear.
 Yet dreams of brighter days to come
 And hopes of crowns to win
 Reveal the thought our motto bears,
 "We finish and begin."

HIGH SCHOOL STATISTICS, FEB. 1,	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Whole number of different pupils during year,	173	177	192	221	223
Largest number at one time.	135	137	149	171	174
Number not enrolled in any other school in town during year,	127	131	133	148	169
Number graduated,	24	10	20	26	16
Average age of Senior Class at graduation, years,				19	18 ¹¹ / ₁₂
Number admitted during year,	56	54	66	82	59
Number from advanced grammar school,	46	50	59	73	53
Number admitted from other schools,	10	4	7	9	6
Number from Lynnfield,	8	5	12	13	11
Membership, February,	127	124	142	165	160
Pupils over 15 years old,	102	121	129	146	138
Number in Classical Course,	65	61	63	90	105
Number in English Course,	62	63	78	75	55
Senior Class, Feb. 1,	9	21	26	16	20
Senior Class, when entered.	17	54	48	53	51
Junior Class, Feb. 1,	30	29	20	22	31
Junior Class, when entered,	54	48	53	51	62
Second Year Class, Feb. 1,	36	27	35	46	57
Second Year Class, when entered,	48	53	51	62	78
First Year Class, Feb. 1,	50	46	60	76	52
First Year Class, when entered,	53	51	62	78	57
Average membership of year,	120.64	124.66	139	148.3	160
Average attendance of year,	114.58	119.94	126.7	142.7	154.7
Per cent. of attendance,	94.97	96.21	96.7	96.2	96.7

GRADUATES FROM GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Allbee, Elsie
 Butler, Nellie
 Bonelli, Frank
 Carey, Lillian V.
 Carleton, Lee T.
 Carleton, Mary F.
 Cheney, Gertrude M.
 Clothey, Edward T.
 Clothey, Addie
 Crosby, Christina
 Cuff, Katie
 Counihan, Grace M.
 Daly, Josephine
 Daniel, Mary E.
 Dunn, Grace T.
 Eaton, Harry F.
 Edwards, Irene M.
 Fletcher, Edgar W.
 Goodwin, Ethel
 Hadley, Elta R.
 Hinekley, Henry O.
 Howard, Arthur A.
 Houston, Donald
 Hunt, George A.
 Jack, Belle R.
 Johnston, Grace R.
 Keady, Thomas
 Kimball, Helen M.
 Landers, Maude

Marshall, Bessie
 Mason, Grace M.
 Mayo, Dana
 McCarthy, John J.
 McGlory, M. Annie
 McKeon, Nellie
 Nye, Harold A.
 O'Connell, Margaret
 Orr, Martha L.
 Paine, Harold D.
 Parson, Annie
 Perley, Alice C.
 Preston, Robert F.
 Reardon, Thomas
 Richardson, William C.
 Ruggles, Lucia
 Smith, Edna G.
 Smith, M. Lilian
 Sloane, Lottie
 Stewart, Agnes G.
 Sullivan, John J.
 Sweetser, Percy N.
 Taber, Melvin E.
 Toomey, Frank H.
 Tuttle, G. Arthur
 Webber, William
 White, Helen W.
 Whiton, L. Ernestine

TABLE OF GENERAL STATISTICS.

GRADE.	TEACHERS.	Enrollment.	Average Membership.	Average Attendance.	Average per tendance.	Pupils over 15 years.	Pupils between 8 and 14.	Total Half Days' Absence.	No. Cases of Tardiness.	No. Cases of Truancy.
High, IX,	Charles H. Howe,	223	160.	154.7	96.7	201	22	1,000	227	2
High, IX,	Miss M. P. Wall,	1	23.2	27.2	90.5			103	39	3
Adv. Grammar, IX,	Mrs. M. E. Wentworth,	70	55.7	52.8	94.8	33	14	1,189	196	4
Lincoln VIII, IX,	Miss E. F. Ingram,	51	45.6	42.7	93.6	13	25	1,108	184	4
" VII, VIII,	" L. Townsend,	42	41.4	39.6	95.7	1	30	775	125	0
" VII,	" E. F. Emerson,	54	42.7	40.9	95.8	3	48	715	161	9
" VII,	" S. M. Hosmer,	0	41.	41.5	94.3	0	0	516	27	0
" VI,	Misses F. E. Carter and B. G. Pierce,	54	42.7	39.7	93	0	49	1,153	148	0
" V, VII.	Miss G. M. Dennison,	0	31.7	32.6	94.	0	0	418	22	0
" V,	Misses M. W. Bangs and C. L. Mason,	54	48.9	45.8	94.7	0	53	1,216	123	8
" IV,	Misses S. M. Hosmer and F. E. Carter,	55	48.9	45.9	93.9	0	55	1,184	72	1
" III,	Miss L. J. Mansfield,	59	46.7	43.1	92.3	0	59	1,341	210	2
" II,	Misses C. L. Mason and L. I. Wood,	58	49.9	47.2	94.6	0	20	1,108	82	3
" I,	Misses H. A. Currier and E. R. Marshall,	58	49.7	45.7	92.7	0	1	1,458	162	0
" I,	Misses L. J. Wood and J. L. Carter,	87	30.7	27.6	89.9	0	4	1,261	294	2
H. M. Warren VIII,	Miss M. A. Warren,	43	31.5	37.7	95.4	3	21	739	55	0
" VII,	" C. E. Emerson,	46	38.8	36.9	95.1	3	36	734	94	1
" VI,	" C. H. Munroe,	61	41.4	39.3	94.9	0	59	857	147	0
" IV, V,	" M. Kahner,	32	33.3	31.4	94.3	0	30	764	85	1
" I, II, III,	" A. J. Kernan,	46	37.7	35.4	94.	0	12	1,033	124	0
Hamilton VI,	" S. M. Aldrich,	40	37.9	35.9	94.8	1	39	787	101	2
" V,	" M. J. Hills,	49	44.3	41.7	94.2	0	47	1,035	135	4
" I, II,	" M. E. Kelly,	49	40.9	38.9	95.4	0	37	755	171	2
" III, IV,	" E. E. Howlett,	63	31.6	37.5	94.7	0	15	842	197	2
West I, II, III,	Misses I. F. Boone and R. M. O'Connell,	36	26.8	24.2	90.3	0	12	1,006	169	0
North I, II, III, IV,	Miss A. L. Berry,	56	43.1	40.6	94.2	0	20	1,037	137	2
Woodville IV, V, VI,	" K. L. Kelley,	30	24.7	22.8	92.3	0	30	882	228	2
" I, II, III,	" E. C. Bateman,	40	27.8	24.6	88.7	0	19	1,092	215	1
Montrose IV, V, VI,	Misses M. I. Hawkins and H. G. Elliot,	41	40.8	37.	90.7	0	41	1,179	232	1
" I, II, III,	Miss L. E. Blanch,	64	42.4	38.9	91.7	0	22	1,337	292	7
" III, IV,	" L. M. Whitney,	48	42.8	40.9	95.5	1	40	879	226	1
" I, II,	Misses I. L. Wood and K. L. Kelley,	1	30.3	23.2	93.1	0	1	648	133	1
" VII, VIII,	" E. R. Marshall and I. F. Boone,	72	31.7	36.4	92.	0	10	1,299	209	0
" V, VI,	Miss S. E. Wilkins,	31	27.3	26.1	95.4	7	15	521	190	0
" III, IV,	" L. P. McCormick,	42	41.7	35.	83.9	0	39	981	229	0
" I, II,	Misses A. W. Atkins and M. I. Hawkins,	43	34.4	36.9	93.7	0	48	1,020	210	1
	Miss A. G. Batch,	84	47.7	43.9	92.2	0	21	1,499	249	0
		1,893	1,597.7	1,497.2	93.5	266	994	35,644	5,960	65

CORPS OF TEACHERS,

With Salary, Year of Election, Grade, and Where Educated.

NAME.	Salary.	Date of first elect'n.	Grade.	Where educated.
High School, Common St.				
Charles H. Howe,	\$1,900	1895	Principal,	Dartmouth College.
Helen W. Poor,	750	1896	First assistant,	Radcliffe College.
Grace M. Stevens,	700	1894	Assistant,	Smith College.
Ethel E. Williams,	650	1896	"	Bates College.
Susanne E. Goddard,	600	1896	"	Wellesley College.
Clara A. Barnes,	600	1897	"	Vassar College.
Mabel P. Wall,	500	1897	"	Wellesley College.
Lincoln School, Crescent Street.				
M. E. Wentworth,	900	1871	Principal,	Berwick Academy.
Elizabeth F. Ingram,	600	1881	Eighth and ninth,	Smith College.
Louise Townsend,	500	1896	Eighth,	Bridgewater Normal.
Eleanor F. Emerson,	500	1887	Seventh,	Salem Normal.
Susan M. Hosmer,	500	1895	Seventh,	Framingham Normal.
Bessie G. Pierce,	425	1896	Sixth,	Wellesley College.
Grace M. Dennison,	400	1897	Fifth and sixth,	Wellesley College.
Carrie L. Mason,	450	1892	Fifth,	Salem Normal.
Fannie E. Carter,	500	1886	Fourth,	Millbury High School.
L. Josephine Mansfield,	450	1875	Third,	Wakefield High Sch'l.
L. Isadore Wood,	380	1896	Second,	Quincy Training Sch'l.
Edith R. Marshall,	400	1894	First,	Wakefield High Sch'l.
Jennie L. Carter,	300	1897	First,	Millbury High School.
H. M. Warren School, Converse Street.				
M. Annie Warren,	700	1871	Principal,	Wakefield High Sch'l.
Clara E. Emerson,	550	1879	Seventh,	Wakefield High Sch'l.
Clara H. Munroe,	450	1892	Sixth,	Salem Normal.
Mary Kalaher,	450	1888	Fourth and fifth,	Salem Normal.
Alice J. Kernan,	450	1890	First, second, third,	Wakefield High Sch'l.
Greenwood School, Main Street.				
Sarah E. Wilkins,	550	1883	Principal,	Salem Normal.
Lila P. McCormick,	450	1891	Fifth and sixth,	Bridgewater Normal.
Mary I. Hawkins,	450	1896	Third and fourth,	Southboro High Sch'l.
Annie G. Balch,	380	1896	First and second,	Colby Academy.
Hamilton School, Albion Street.				
Sarah M. Aldrich,	525	1894	Principal,	Nichols Academy.
Mary J. Hills,	450	1896	Fifth,	Salem Normal.
Mary E. Kelly,	450	1895	Third and fourth,	Wakefield High Sch'l.
Eva E. Howlett,	525	1881	First and second,	Salem Normal.
Franklin School, Franklin Street.				
M. L. Whitney,	450	1894	Third and fourth,	Gorham Normal.
Katharine L. Kelley,	380	1894	Second,	Salem Normal.
Irene F. Boone,	380	1896	First,	Woburn High.
Woodville School, Farm Street.				
Emma C. Bateman,	400	1893	First to sixth,	Wakefield High Sch'l.
Flora E. Elliott,	200	1897	Assistant,	Wakefield High Sch'l.
West Ward School, Prospect Street.				
Rebecca M. O'Connell,	360	1893	First to third,	Salem Normal.
North Ward School, Cordis Street.				
Agnes L. Berry,	400	1896	First to fourth,	Quincy Training.

CORPS OF TEACHERS—*Continued.*

NAME.	Salary.	Date of first elect'n.	Grade.	Where educated.
East Ward School, Salem Street.				
H. Gertrude Elliott,	360	1897	Fourth to sixth,	Melrose High School.
Luella E. Blanch,	380	1896	First to third,	NewBrunsw'k Normal.
Special Instructors.				
George F. Wilson,	750	1876	Supervisor of music,	Boston Conserv. Music.
Annie B. Parker,	400	1893	" drawing,	Prang Normal Course.
Lieut. Charles E. Walton,	100	1897	Military instructor,	Co.A, 6th Reg't M.V.M.

	Janitors.	Residence.	Salary.
High School,	Geo. O. Russell,	14 Church Street,	\$350
Lincoln,			600
Hamilton, }	Edward Eaton,	30 Park Street,	450
Warren, }	Thomas Thrush,	32 Franklin Street,	125
Franklin,	T. L. Ringer,	Greenwood Avenue,	200
Greenwood,	L. P. Hooper,	Nahant Street,	80
Woodville,	Maurice Hurley,	Lowell Street,	80
Montrose,	B. F. Shedd,	25 Cordis Street,	40
North Ward,	A. W. Ventress,	1 Salem Street,	40
West Ward,			

AUDITORS' FINAL STATEMENT.

The Board of Auditors herewith present to the town their report for the fiscal year ending February 1, 1898 :

From March 10, 1897 to January 31, 1898, the Selectmen have drawn 1,926 orders on the Treasurer, representing \$117,449.32. We have examined the vouchers for these payments and have also verified the arithmetic of all bills coming before the Board of Selectmen for payment during the year, and our report upon them will be found arranged in the departments to which they belong.

Our final balance sheet shows a total expenditure of \$131,-803.80, which includes \$14,354.48 disbursed directly by the Treasurer for Town Debt and Interest, Library and Reading Room payments.

We desire to make an explanation with regard to the considerable amount of overdrawals as shown this year, as compared with past years.

These overdrawals resulted partly from the economical appropriations made by the town at the beginning of the year, and from the increased expenditures in various departments of the town.

The School Contingent fund shows an overdraw of \$575.06, which is offset by the unexpended balance of the School General fund of \$579.42 and of the School Text Books and Supplies of \$5.41, making a showing for the School Department of \$9.77 unexpended. This was owing to a vote of the town at the beginning of the year that all incomes from tuition should be credited to the School General fund, thereby causing that fund to increase at the expense of the other two funds.

The overdraw of \$80 in Salaries was due to an error in voting the total amount at the annual meeting.

The overdrawals of \$109.50 on Soldiers' Relief and \$41.15 on

Insurance were from insufficient appropriations, and which were considered as very necessary expenses.

The unexpended balances of New Greenwood School House, Municipal Light Plant, Broadway repairs, Gould street repairs, Maps, Plans and Surveys, and Cooper street are available for next year, being on account of unfinished contracts, and amounting to \$5,660.81.

This amount being deducted from the total of unexpended balances shows a net amount of \$2,480.32 to offset the sum of \$840.63 overdrawn as shown.

We have verified the receipts of such departments as pay money to the Treasurer; we have examined the books of the Collector of Taxes, and of T. J. Skinner, Treasurer of the Library and Reading Room, and find them correct. We have also examined the accounts of Mr. Skinner as Town Treasurer and find them correct, with the proper vouchers for all receipts and payments; and that he has a cash balance of \$16,463.74 in the National Bank of South Reading.

We also certify that he has securities and deposits representing the C. Sweetser Lecture Fund, Burial Lot Funds and Library Funds.

During the month of February the Board received a communication from the Municipal Light Board in regard to an expert examination of the books of the Light Plant.

Owing to the lack of time after the close of the year and also to the very nature of the accounts, as kept by statute law, both Boards were agreed that it would be of great benefit to the town and satisfactory to them to have this done in addition to the careful examination made annually by the Auditors with regard to receipts and expenditures.

This has now been done by a public accountant selected by both boards, at no expense to the town, not only for the past year but from the time the town purchased the plant to the ending of the fiscal year of 1897-8.

We refer to his report of the examination made by him printed in this Annual Report, and sincerely trust it will give as great satisfaction to the citizens of Wakefield as it has to the two boards interested.

In our report of the expenditures of the various appropriations we have itemized as far as space and time will allow.

Any citizen of the town of Wakefield desirous of obtaining any closer knowledge of bills or accounts will be gladly given some by any member of this board.

In compliance with the vote of the town we have compiled the annual Town Report and submit the same.

Respectfully submitted.

EVERETT W. EATON,
ALBERT W. FLINT,
GEORGE W. LINNELL,

Auditors.

WAKEFIELD MUNICIPAL LIGHT PLANT -- PUBLIC AUDITOR'S REPORT.

BOSTON, March 1, 1898.

Municipal Light Board, Town of Wakefield:

GENTLEMEN,—With this I hand you my reports of audits of the books and accounts of the Wakefield Municipal Light Plant. The first report covers the period extending from August 1, 1894, to and including the close of business June 30, 1897. The second report covers the seven months ending January 31, 1898.

I have found the books and accounts to have been exceptionally well kept, both as to workmanship and the system of keeping the same.

Respectfully yours,

CHARLES M. HILL,

Public Accountant and Auditor.

BOSTON, Feb. 28, 1898.

I have audited the books and accounts of the Wakefield Municipal Light Plant for the period extending from August 1, 1894, to and including the close of business June 30, 1897, and have to report as follows:

I have made examination of the cash in hand and in the bank and the balance in the hands of the town treasurer at close of business June 30, 1897, and find the amount to agree with the balance of the cash book on that date.

I find the amount of expenditures under the various appropriations to agree with the amount entered on the books of the town treasurer, and have verified the records of cash receipts.

I have examined the Gas Consumers' and Electric Consumers' ledgers; the total balances in the same agree with their respective balances in the general ledger.

I have found the cash book and journal entries duly posted in the ledger, the footings to be correct, and have proven the balance sheets.

I hereby certify that in all my investigations, as above recited, I have found everything correct.

CHAS. M. HILL,

Auditor.

BOSTON, March 1, 1898.

I have audited the books and accounts of the Wakefield Municipal Light Plant for the seven months ending January 31, 1898, and have to report as follows:

I have made examination of the cash in hand and in the bank and the balance in the hands of the town treasurer at the close of business January 31, 1898, and find the amount to agree with the balance of the cash book on that date.

I find the amount of expenditures under the various appropriations to agree with the amount entered on the books of the town treasurer, and have verified the records of cash receipts.

I have examined the Gas Consumers' and Electric Consumers' ledgers; the total balances in the same agree with their respective accounts in the general ledger.

I have found the cash and journal entries duly posted in the ledger and the footings to be correct.

I have examined and verified the computations of the several inventories.

I find the following depreciation to have been charged to the several plant and machinery accounts during the period extending from August 1, 1894, to January 31, 1898, said depreciation being the usual five per cent. depreciation as required by law:

GAS.

Real estate gas,	\$2,528 57
Machinery and manuf'g appliances,	5,477 61
Gas mains,	3,334 78
Gas meters,	455 16

ELECTRIC.

Real estate electric,	\$2,464 05
Steam plant,	2,949 87
Electric plant,	2,226 11
Electric lines,	3,538 89
Arc lamps,	624 75
Electric meters,	238 14
Transformers,	280 08

Totals,	\$24,118 01
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I hereby certify that in all my investigations, as above recited,
I have found everything correct.

CHAS. M. HILL,

Auditor.

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STREET LIST

—OF—

PERSONS ASSESSED FOR POLL TAXES

In Precinct No. 1,

WAKEFIELD, MASS., IN 1898.

The (*) indicates that the person whose name is opposite resided at the same place last year as this year.

Street No.	Name.	Age.	Occupation.	Residence last year.
ABORN AVENUE.				
13	Jackson, Henry W.	53	Merchant.	*
13	Webster, Elias N.	75	Retired.	*
17	Pearson, J. Clifton,	32	Nail manuf'r.	*
17	Murphy, Jeremiah,	28	Coachman.	Boston.
23	Gleason, Edward U.	38	Photographer.	*
ALBION STREET.				
8	Anderson, John,	24	Shoemaker.	*
8	Connors, Daniel R.	25	Cigarmaker.	*
8	McManuis, John A.	46	Paperhanger.	*
8	Rounds, Fred L.	26	Hotel keeper.	*
8	Rounds, James C.	54	Hotel keeper.	*
8	Malcolm, Zina B.	38	Reed worker.	*
8	Bethune, Willis F.	26	Painter.	
8	Black, Fred J.	21	Clerk.	
8	Lockhart, George B.	44	Piano-maker.	*
8	Nichols, Albert,	26	Rattan worker.	*
12	Young, Enoch,	48	Mason.	*
29	Brownell, Alstead W.	56	Printer.	*

Street No.	Name.	Age.	Occupation.	Residence last year.
	ALBION ST., Cont'd.			
29	Cole, George E.	57	Salesman.	*
29	Flather, William,	30	Designer.	8 Chestnut st.
36	Trundy, Edward L.	45	Clerk.	*
37	Evans, George H.	32	Conductor.	*
37	Gray, Frank E.	30	Shoe cutter.	*
41	Murdough, W. J.	32	Carpenter.	*
41	Pope, Charles H.	42	Moulder.	*
43	Thompson, Frank,	30	Laborer.	
43	Hayden, Frank W.	63	Foreman.	*
46	Wiley, Arthur L.	23	Clerk.	*
57	Ayscough, George,	32	Reed worker.	*
57	Carlsen, Axel W.	31	Rattan worker.	*
57	Nelson, Axel,	30	Rattan worker.	Richardson st.
58	Tobey, Martin F.	51	Piano-maker.	*
60	Mansfield, Joseph D.	81	Retired.	*
61	Bloomberg, Harry,	28	Merchant.	Malden.
61	Thibault, Peter,	36	Laborer.	*
63	Stanley, Josiah S.	48	Rattan worker.	*
65	Glines, Alonzo B.	53	Shoemaker.	Pearl st.
65	Jenkins, John W.	71	Grocer.	*
66	Elkins, Charles M.	69	Salesman.	*
68	Vinton, Ernest,	22	Motorman.	
68	Clark, Milton D.	35	Motorman.	*
68	Lane, Charles,	44	Motorman.	*
83	Jones, Charles A.	33	Music teacher.	*
83	Jones, Charles L.	55	Machinist.	*
83	Williams, Charles,	43	Treasurer.	*
83	Williams, Charles A.	21	Clerk.	*
93	Adzegian, Anedis,	31	Rattan worker.	
93	Adzegian, Diraser,	22	Rattan worker.	
95	Hathaway, George H.	52	Stable keeper.	*
99	Hunt, Daniel W.	46	Teamster.	*
99	Hunt, Walter G.	22	Book-keeper.	*
99	Hunt, Edgar,	20	Student.	*
99	Townsend, George W.	70	Shoemaker.	*
101	Dunham, Samuel G.	32	Clergyman.	*
111	Woodward, James F.	78	Retired.	*
121	Sexton, Patrick,	37	Laborer.	*
121	Taggart, David,	33	Plumber.	*
121	Dwyer, Thomas E.	33	Manager.	*
127	Gammons, Herbert W.	49	Moulder.	*
127	Etheridge, Thomas J.	47	Restaurant k'p'r.	*

Street No.	Name.	Age.	Occupation.	Residence last year.
	Couillard, George W.	49	Laborer.	*
147	Millerick, Jeremiah E.	58	Clergyman.	*
147	O'Connor, William F.	31	Clergyman.	*
153	Glynn, John J.	27	Bookbinder.	Stoneham.
153	Lemander, Eric,	48	Piano-maker.	*
161	Skinner, William G.	51	Hackman.	*
161	Gordon, Charles W.	45	Restaurant k'p'r.	*
165	Ledwith, George H.	49	Laborer.	*
167	Hatch, Charles H.	44	Teamster.	*
169	Mayers, Charles L.	42	Stove fitter.	*
171	Malone, Dion A.	43	Rattan worker.	*
173	Chesley, William W.	62	Grocer.	*
177	Walden, Elias W.	23	Teamster.	Traverse st.
177	Quinn, James.	41	Brass finisher.	*
178	McCullough, Geo. M.	31	Brass finisher.	*
178	Welch, Thomas F.	37	Rattan worker.	*
180	Flynn, Thomas,	65	Laborer.	*
181	White, Alfred,	28	Winder.	Rockland.
181	Fay, Michael,	38	Laborer.	*
182	Reagan, John,	28	Laborer.	*
182	Reagan, Patrick J.	69	Farmer.	*
200	Connelly, Edward J.	21	Book-keeper.	*
200	Corcoran, Dennis F.	24	Shoemaker.	*
200	Connelly, Thomas A.	25	Stove-mounter.	*
210	Mayer, Joseph.	59	Pattern finisher.	*
210	Mayer, Albert J.	26	Driller.	*
212	Horne, Robert,	27	Rattan Worker.	Bryant st.
214	Keefe, Patrick,	33	Shoemaker.	*
215	Gilman, Charles F.	30	Druggist.	*
217	Anderson, Charles S.	24	Shoe cutter.	Byron st.
217	Cloudman, William,	29	Driller.	*
217	Prentiss, William C.	46	Pattern-maker.	*
217	Perry, George L.	52	Pattern-maker.	Lynn.
219	Balcom, Edward A.	38	Moulder.	*
219	Hall, Harry,	28	Nickel plater.	*
221	Aborn, Arthur S.	29	Clerk.	*
224	Coffey, John V.	52	Clerk.	*
232	Hale, Horace G.	39	Rattan worker.	*
257	Holland, Thomas,	48	Photographer.	*
266	White, Edson W.	41	Editor.	*
281	Morse, Charles,	65	Tinsmith.	*
289	Tilton, D. Horace,	64	Crossing tender.	*
289	Whitten, Orrin S.	32	Freight agent.	*

Street No.	Name.	Age.	Occupation.	Residence last year.
	ASHCROFT.			
	Foster, Leonard,	26	Clerk.	Main st.
	AUBURN STREET.			
3	Wenzel, John A.	38	Piano maker.	*
5	Frazer, William,	36	Shoe cutter.	*
3	Hawes, Arthur L.	28	Wood engraver.	*
6	Flockton, Benjamin C.	37	Stove fitter.	*
7	Davis, Henry,	58	Contractor.	*
8	Cade, William E.	39	Piano maker.	*
9	Gilmore, Howard J.	28	Driver.	Bryant st.
10	Godfrey, Frank W.	34	Clerk.	*
11	Casey, John L.	23	Freight handler.	Highland st.
11	Casey, Matthew J.	21	Rattan worker.	Highland st.
11	Casey, Peter,	47	Freight handler.	Highland st.
12	Payzant, Edward W..	32	Moulder.	N. S.
	AVON COURT.			
3	Fairbanks, James M.	57	Painter.	W. Water st.
4	Flanders, Levi,	38	Overseer.	*
6	Young, George G.	21	Buffer.	*
7	McClintock, Edwin W.	51	Watchman.	Emerson st.
8	Cram, Elmer H.	32	Designer.	*
8	Woodman, Alvin M.	26	Salesman.	*
10	Barker, George M.	47	Shoemaker.	*
12	Wiley, Alanson R.	48	Toy manufact'r.	*
	AVON STREET.			
1	Hickok, Charles H.	58	Clergyman.	*
3A	Bowser, C. Bertrand,	25	Clergyman.	Yale ave.
3A	Bowser, Charles A.	49	Merchant.	Yale ave.
3A	Bowser, Eden K.	23	Student.	Yale ave.
4	Gray, James M.	33	Motorman.	*
4	Kenney, John.		Upholsterer.	*
5	Magoon. Charles H.	65	Dentist.	*
5	Thrush, Thomas A.	31	Rattan worker.	*
6	Sopher, Curtis L.	31	Physician.	Main st.
8	Heath, Joseph W.	45	Physican.	*
8	Heath, Webster,	67	Retired.	*
12	Day, Benjamin I.	50	Shoemaker.	*
20	Hawes, Louis E.	37	Civil engineer.	*
23	Clough, Samuel A.	59	Treasurer.	*
23	Clough, Ernest A.	26	Clerk.	*

Street No.	Name.	Age.	Occupation.	Residence last year.
25	Walton, Arthur G.	43	Merchant.	*
26	Abbott, Samuel W.	60	Physician.	*
28	Foster, Maitland P.	35	Publisher.	*
29	Foster, Harry,	40	Book-keeper.	*
30	Bray, Ernest P.	24	Express agent.	Gloucester.
31	Mansfield, Charles F.	49	Stenographer.	*
33	Dutton, Richard,	23	Student.	*
33	Dutton, Charles,	59	Physician.	*
35	Anguera, Edward de,	49	Salesman.	*
36	Greenough, Chester N.	23	Student.	*
36	Greenough, William S.	54	Merchant.	*
36	Greenough, William W.	21	Student.	*
37	Lawder, Robert J.	36	Electrician.	*
39	Poole, Warren.	72	Pattern-maker.	*
40	Jones, W. Russell,	32	Dentist.	*
42	Whittredge, W. W.	54	Salesman.	*
43	Learoyd, Charles H.	63	Clergyman.	*
44	Waterman, Fred'k L.	39	Salesman.	*
49	Marshall, Alson L.	59	Paperhanger.	*
49	Marshall, Frank,	23	Paperhanger.	*
49	McIntosh, Thomas,	20	Rattan worker.	*
BARTLEY STREET.				
5	Holden. Michael,	60	Junk dealer.	*
5	Holden, Patrick,	20	Laborer.	*
6	Butman, George W.	28	Salesman.	*
6	Heustis, George,	29	Brass worker.	*
6	Butler, Patrick,	56	Laborer.	*
6	Butler, Charles J.	22	Laborer.	*
7	Kalaher, Timothy,	48	Laborer.	*
8	Cosman. William P.	24	Rattan worker.	*
8	Cosman, Richard A.	20		
8	Cosman, Walter J.	21	Laborer.	*
23	Bartley, Francis A.	51	Rattan worker.	*
23	Bartley, Robert B.	46	Rattan worker.	*
23	Swanson, August,	34	Upholsterer.	*
25	Moore, Elbe,	28	Carpenter.	*
25	Crimmins, John,	23	Section hand.	*
25	Mitchell, Michael,	27	Laborer.	Richardson st.
26	Maguire, Samuel,	25	Rattan worker.	*
26	Surette, John L.	29	Carpenter.	*
36	Muse, Patrick,	36	Laborer.	*
38	Barry, William R.	36	Laborer.	*

Street No.	Name.	Age.	Occupation.	Residence last year.
	BARTLEY ST., Cont'd.			
38	Dingle, James,	25	Laborer.	Wiley place.
40	Muse, Alfred,	28	Car inspector.	*
40	Walsh, Patrick, 2d,	40	Laborer.	*
41	Muse, Reuben,	45	Stone mason.	*
44	Sullivan, Patrick, 2d,	33	Shipper.	*
44	Mahoney, Timothy,	61	Laborer.	*
44	Mahoney, Timothy, Jr.	29	Pedler.	*
44	Mahoney, Patrick,	25	Pedler.	*
46	McDermott, John,	27	Laborer.	Mechanic st.
48	Butler, Edward,	54	Laborer.	*
48	Butler, John P.	26	Moulder.	*
	Hubbard, Peter,	51	Laborer.	*
	BATEMAN COURT.			
12	Bateman, Charles,	80	Laborer.	*
14	Paon, Fred,	43	Rattan worker.	*
	Partelow, Charles M.	57	Boat builder.	*
	Funk, Charles,	46	Reed worker.	*
	BELLEVUE PARK.			
	Bennett, Samuel,	44	Stone mason.	*
	Bennett, Ernest O. V.	23	Motorman.	*
	Biggs, William, Jr.	47	Rattan worker.	*
	Daniel, James J.	32	Machinist.	*
	Donohue, Patrick,	69	Laborer.	*
	Phinney, Albert.	57	Farmer.	*
	Smith, Samuel,	32	Stone mason.	*
	Donohue, Daniel, 2d,	29	Framer.	*
	Donohue, John,	22	Winder.	*
	Preston, Joseph,	39	Rattan worker.	*
	Daniel, McPherson,	35	Tailor.	Reading.
	Tobey, Horace,	52	Machinist.	Melrose.
	Burrage, George,	35	Laborer.	*
	BERLIN TERRACE.			
8	Thomas, George W.	73	Carpenter.	*
8	Whittemore, Gerry F.	47	Crutch manuf'r.	*
8	Mansfield, William P.	42	Expressman.	*
	BEACON STREET.			
9	O'Donnell, Joseph P.	36	Freight handler.	*
	Kelley, Jeremiah,	36	Moulder.	*
	Hinckley, William,	59	Gardener.	

Street No.	Name.	Age.	Occupation.	Residence last year.
BENNETT STREET,				
6	Stout, Richard S.	48	Foreman.	*
11	Curley, James F.	32	Brass finisher.	*
11	Spaulding, Herbert,	28	Salesman.	Church st.
11	Wright, Washburn,	28	Clerk.	Elm st.
13	Lowe, Joseph K., Jr.	33	Motorman.	Park st. (G.)
14	Horton, Wm. G. C.	37	Motorman.	*
29	Mohle, Herman,	39	Rattan worker.	*
31	Donovan, Dennis,	38	Rattan worker.	*
31	Donovan, John C.	33	Moulder.	*
33	McMahan, James.	59	Rattan worker.	*
33	McMahan, John H.	31	Reed worker.	*
33	McMahan, Thomas F.	27	Brass finisher.	*
33	McMahan, James E.	24	Book-keeper.	*
33	McMahan, Daniel C.	22	Salesman.	*
34	Foley, John Joseph,	34	Inspector.	*
37	Farrington, Martin,	24	Piano maker.	*
37	Farrington, Patrick F.	54	Laborer.	*
38	Keefe, Cornelius,	75	Crossing tender.	*
38	Keefe, Thomas J.	35	Rattan worker.	*
38	Keefe, James P.,	28	Rattan worker.	*
56	Low, John,	46	Reporter.	*
58	Connors, Thomas,	34	Foundryman.	*
58	Anderson, Melvin H. W.	26	Shoemaker.	*
60	Gaffey, John B.	34	Moulder.	*
60	Gaffey, T. Frank,	26	Clerk.	*
62	Low, Michael,	47	Salesman.	*
63	Koallick, Bernard,	51	Rattan worker.	*
67	Canty, David,	47	Rattan worker.	*
67	Canty, James,	23	Rattan worker.	*
	Bowman, William F.	45	Laborer.	*
	Keefe, Daniel,	28	Mason.	Melvin st.
BIRCH HILL AVE.				
2	Hilton, Charles H.	51	Engineer.	*
6	Logan, James,	23	Moulder.	Melvin st.
6	Logan, William,	21	Moulder.	Melvin st.
6	Logan, Henry,	27	Laborer.	*
6	Logan, John,	28	Laborer.	Melvin st.
6	Logan, Michael,	51	Laborer.	*
6	Noyes, Arthur O.	37	Conductor.	*
8	Littlehale, Herbert B.	43	Piano-maker.	*
10	Gammons, Orlando N.	59	Upholsterer.	*

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BIRCH HILL AV., Con.				
14	Downing, E. Herbert,	59	Engineer.	*
14	Hill, Edward P.	21	Rattan worker.	*
	Sargent, Charles D.	29	Rattan worker.	*
	Davis, Henry, 2d,	55	Carpenter.	*
	Davis, Henry, 3d,	24	Carpenter.	*
	Allen, George W.	45	Foreman.	*
	Allen, John H. C.	50	Varnisher.	*
BRETT COURT.				
	Brett, Edward J.	31	Physician.	*
BROADWAY.				
	Chadbourne, Edward J.	50	Superintendent.	*
48	Butler, Edward,	54	Foundryman.	*
48	Butler, John P.	26	Moulder.	*
57	Haggerty, William,	31	Moulder.	*
57	Haggerty, Daniel,	46	Moulder.	*
59	O'Connor, James,	39	Section hand.	*
60	McCarthy, Dennis W.	50	Engineer.	*
61	Reardon, Patrick,	45	Laborer.	*
61	Reardon, John W.	20	Plumber.	*
66	Henry, John,	26	Driver.	Stoneham.
66	Henry, William,	32	Driver.	Stoneham.
67	Kalaher, John C.	23	Clerk.	*
67	Kalaher, Patrick,	64	Watchman.	*
68	Regan, Dennis,	27	Rattan worker.	*
68	Jack, James G.	66	Laborer.	*
68	O'Donnell, John H.	42	Merchant.	*
68	Jack, Philip,	22	Engineer.	*
70	Cotter, John,	23	Milk dealer.	*
71	Eager, James H.	32	Fireman.	Maine.
71	Douglass, Wm. H.	22	Rattan worker.	*
71	Douglass, Thomas S.	24	Motorman.	*
73	Toomey, Timothy,	24	Shoemaker.	*
73	Toomey, John,	51	Teamster.	*
74	Eager, Philip,	30	Polisher.	*
74	Lillie, Mark,	28	Switchman.	*
92	McLain, John,	58	Carpenter.	*
93	Neville, William H.	33	Motorman.	*
106	McKenzie, John,	47	Carpenter.	*
106	Arnold, Henry R.	24	Clerk.	*
109	Vick, Christian,	46	Rattan worker.	*

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109	Carlson, Charles J.	27	Machinist.	*
110	Evans, Montello C.	56	Retired.	*
110	Jenkins, Charles W.	48	Conductor.	*
111	Peterson, James,	49	Rattan worker.	*
	Doyle, Cornelius J.	22	Steeple climber.	*
	Doyle, Dennis J.	38	Farmer.	*
	Doyle, John C.	24	Farmer.	*
BROOK AVENUE.				
6	Corcoran, Frank,	52	Rattan worker.	*
6	Corcoran, Owen.	44	Machinist.	*
6	Corcoran, Edward,	24	Machinist.	*
7	Ryder, Charles H.	37	Moulder.	*
7	Ramey, George,	31	Painter.	*
10	Irving, Robert,	50	Rattan worker.	*
12	Evans, Thomas H.	40	Rattan worker.	*
12	Upham, Robert,	23	Carpenter.	*
13	Duffy, Robert,	52	Shoemaker.	*
13	Duffy, Herbert,	23	Conductor.	*
	Devine, Lawrence H.	37	Motorman.	*
	Chase, Bennie,	41	Laborer.	Wiley pl.
BRYANT STREET.				
6	North, Rufus C.	31	Blacksmith.	*
11	Kenrick, Alfred W.		Motorman.	*
12	Ryder, Jephtha N.	60	Moulder.	*
12	Ryder, Stephen E.	35	Druggist.	*
15	Newhall, James F.	42	Shoe cutter.	*
15	Hart, George E.	40	Clerk.	*
16	Sweetser, Ezra M.	52	Rattan worker.	*
16	Carlson, John W.	34	Painter.	*
19	Abbott, George W.	29	Printer.	*
21	Fletcher, William B.	40	Grocer clerk.	* Pearl st
21	Hall, Henry C.	53	Conductor.	*
24	Snall, Lewis B.	35	Carpenter.	*
26	Haskell, Harry.	32	Asst. pay. teller.	*
27	Bryant, Albert R.	56	Leather sorter.	*
27	Howard, Roger,	43	Carpenter.	*
28	Vail, Charles H.	49	Salesman.	*
28	Homan, Jesse L.	36	Salesman.	*
28	Phipps, George W.	36	Piano tuner.	Myrtle ave.
31	Harmus, Charles L.	73	Salesman.	*
32	Jacob, Edward S.	36	Rattan worker.	*

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BRYANT ST., Cont'd.				
33	Ricker, Earl H.	20	Clerk.	*
34	Baker, Fred E.	32	Clerk.	*
36	Kingston, David T.	28	Manager.	*
BYRON STREET.				
3	Cooney, Joseph R.	25	Coremaker.	*
3	McCarthy, Timothy J.	52	Foreman.	*
6	Biggs, Edward E.	34	Carpenter.	*
7	Calkins, James H.	42	Toolmaker.	*
8	Magee, Richard A.	52	Carpenter.	Chestnut st.
9	Foley, John Joseph, 2d.	27	Shoemaker.	*
9	Urquhart, Alex.	50	Pattern maker.	*
10	Hill, Caleb T.	37	Brass worker.	*
11	Dager, Edward W.	36	Pattern maker.	*
13	Wooldridge, William,	82	Retired.	*
14	Wellman, J. Wesley,	77	Broker.	*
14	Lord, C. Everett,	23	Student.	*
15	Wooldridge, John,	44	Baggage master.	*
17	Porter, William D.	66	Carpenter.	*
17	Porter, William H.	24	Carpenter.	*
18	Peck, Henry C.	49	Moulder.	*
18	Peck, Harry F.	21	Salesman.	*
18	Mallorey, Alfred T.		Hair dresser.	Boston st., Lynn
19	Bailey, L. Edward,	30	Salesman.	*
23	Hogan, William,	27	Electrician.	*
28	Barrett, Joseph,	22	Reed worker.	Traverse st.
29	Heath, Joseph F.	40	Salesman.	*
29	Curtis, Ernest L.	21	Student.	*
CEDAR STREET.				
1	Judkins, Fred W.	44	Shoemaker.	*
1	Anderson, Archibald,	50	Laborer.	*
11	Smith, Daniel C.	52	Salesman.	*
19	Holt, Arthur E.	49	Razor strop mfr.	*
23	Gosnay, Joseph T.	33	Harness maker.	*
25	Bumpus, Charles E.	43	Moulder.	*
33	Stimpson, John F.	42	Stockfitter.	*
35	Stone, J. Henry,	49	Driver.	*
37	Worth, John F.	44	Driver.	*
39	Draper, James H.	36	Gas fitter.	*
47	Kelley, Frank,	62	Rattan worker.	*
62	Hemenway, John M.	53	Currier.	*

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64	Eaton, Jacob H.	66	Shoemaker.	*
64	Goodhue, Charles B.	40	Motorman,	Albion st.
65	McLaughlin, Patrick,	43	Foreman.	*
66	Schurman, James D.	55	Builder.	*
81	Arrington, William S	60	Painter.	*
CENTRAL STREET.				
35	Bonney, Josiah S.	33	Druggist.	*
37	Perkins, William C.	35	Carpenter.	Main st.
38	Prescott, William A.	41	Carpenter.	*
38	Comee, Walter H.	20	Carpenter.	*
40	Sweetser, Warren,	45	Gardener.	Lawrence st.
40	Dulhy, William,	34	Florist.	Fitch court.
CENTRE STREET.				
	Bent, Alfred,	46	Laborer.	Lynn.
8	Ogilvie, David,	48	Wood worker.	Main st.
11	Boyce, Thomas C.	44	Tinsmith.	
11	West, Leonard.	27	Rattan worker.	Gould st.
16	Fleming, John,	44	Cane sorter.	*
18	Stevens, Charles W.	39	Insurance agent.	*
20	McManuis, James E.	22	Reed worker.	*
20	Severance, Walter.	28	Laborer,	*
20	McKay, William B.	29	Salesman.	*
20	Pendergrace, Edw. H.	44	Salesman.	*
	Bryant, Charles A.	43	Inventor.	*
162	Hatch, Louis G.	22	Rattan worker.	*
	De Cecca, Ralph,	26	Fruit dealer.	*
	Howley, John,	28	Laborer.	*
	Paul, Charley,	31	Laundryman.	*
CHARLES STREET.				
5	Brown, Charles E.	44	Piano-maker.	*
7	Green, Charles W.	60	Piano-maker.	*
7	Green, Louis A.	55	Piano-maker.	*
10	Simonds, Artemus.	75	Shoemaker.	*
10	Simonds, Harry A.	31	Piano-maker.	*
11	Eaton, Isaac F.	71	Shoe manuf.	*
11	Sweetser, Lyman E.	35	Salesman.	*
12	Sederquest, James A.	42	Wheelwright.	*
13	Stevens, Charles W.	38	Rattan worker.	*
14	Daniel, George A.	38	Engineer.	Bellevue Park.
16	Kenney, Thomas,	43	Crossing tender	*

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CHARLES ST., Cont'd.				
16	Ransom, Walter L.	30	Electrician.	*
17	Fairbanks, Lewis,	23	Clerk.	*
17	Fairbanks, Zephaniah,	60	Painter.	*
18	Jordan, Percy D.	29	Tel. Op.	*
18	Perkins, John,	57	Crossing tender.	*
18	Crossman, Warren J.	41	Foreman.	*
18	Chase, Everett A.	40	Clerk.	Summer st.
18	Pierce, George M.	35	Machinist.	Summer st.
24	Ruggles, Henry S.	52	Agent.	*
25	Gilman, Charles L.	27	Cook.	*
25	Gilman, George K.	55	Teamster.	*
25	Parsons, Charles W.	42	Moulder.	*
28	Hamilton, George A.	50	Moulder.	Central st.
28	Mears, Albert F.	59	Shoemaker.	Stoneham.
28	Mears, Joshua,	46	Shoemaker.	Stoneham.
41	Heywood, Ernest,	30	Letter carrier.	*
	Heywood, John H.	60	Rattan worker.	*
46	Sederquest, Albert E.	35	Teamster.	*
CHESTNUT STREET.				
6	Bessey, William W.	59	Stable keeper.	*
6	Bessey, Allie,	28	Stable keeper.	*
6	Auld, Charles L.	33	Carpenter.	*
8	Middleton, John,	62	Rattan worker.	*
8	Emery,		Clerk.	Quincy.
8	Nash, Frank,	32	Laborer.	Edmonds pl.
8	Cushing, Charles E.	37	Currier.	*
8	Rayner, James,	60	Shoemaker.	*
9	Perkins, Andrew C.	81	Carpenter.	*
10	Gove, Merrill W.	63	Retired.	*
10	Winship, Samuel,	79	Retired.	Lafayette st.
11	Barstow, Charles S.	51	Salesman.	*
11	Marsh, Charles P.	57	Moulder.	*
11	Denton, S. L.	28	Ins. agent.	*
12	Atherton, Arlon S.	56	Real estate.	*
13	Dolbeare, Harris M.	27	Editor.	*
14	Atkinson, Ira,	56	Merchant.	*
15	Skinner, Thomas J.	53	Treasurer.	*
15	Skinner, Hervey J.	20	Student.	*
16	O'Leary, Joseph A.	36	Physician.	*
17	Donnell, Willard,	57	Carpenter.	*
17	Darling, D. Harry,	27	Salesman.	*

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18	Grace, J. Wallace,	37	Hardware d'ler.	*
19	Richardson, George F.	66	Retired.	*
20	Littlefield, George N.	46	Tinsmith.	*
20	Littlefield, Samuel F.	72	Tinsmith.	*
25	Woodbury, Frank T.	36	Physician.	*
26	Howlett, Orrin D.	38	Piano worker.	*
21	Beebe, Charles J.	23	Clerk.	*
21	Davis, Cyrus R.	50	Manager.	*
21	Maynard, Austin S.	54	Grain dealer.	*
21	Maynard, Fred C.	21	Clerk.	*
22	Carey, George E.	53	Salesman.	*
22	Carey, George E., Jr.	20	Clerk.	*
24	Rolfe, Daniel P.	57	Painter.	*
24	Rolfe, Emery W.	36	Salesman.	*
25	Weston, Erastus D.	62	Superintendent.	*
26	Montague, Charles E.	32	Physician.	*
29	Osgood, Byron A.	56	Real estate.	*
30	Coles, David S.	55	Physician.	*
31	Abbott, William O.	25	Clerk.	*
32	Dimick, A. D.	51	Piano maker.	*
32	Chesborough, Edw. L.	31	Mechanic.	*
34	White, Selim S.	42	Publisher.	*
39	Magee, James T.	41	Piano-maker.	*
39	Bryant, Frank H.	34	Machinist.	Main st.
41	King, Charles E.	47	Contractor.	*
42	Webber, Putnam,	50	Clergyman.	Westboro.
42	Webber, Charles P.	21	Student.	Westboro.
42	Webber, Fred P.	23	Student.	Westboro.
43	Cowdrey, Nathaniel,	74	Retired.	*
44	Pitman, Cyrus W.	45	Book-keeper.	*
45	Proctor, Edward E.	44	Real estate.	*
46	Rogers, William E.	43	Lawyer.	*
47	Spurr, Russell,	25	Book-keeper.	*
47	Haley, George P.	40	Agent.	*
48	Lucas, George F.	42	Jeweller.	*
48	Lucas, George D.	73	Piano-maker.	*
48	Lucas, William H.	32	Jeweller.	*
49	Evans, William O.	65	Shoemaker.	*
49	Colson, Emery L.	45	Calker.	*
49	O'Donnell, William,	35	Rattan worker.	*
51	Mitchell, Fred G.	29	Motorman.	Reading.
51	Fainter, Lincoln S.	22	Driver.	Elm st.
52	Wanamake, Wm. E.	42	Carpenter.	*

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CHESTNUT ST., Con.				
52	North, Rupert,	31	Blacksmith.	*
53	Hawkes, Charles S.	37	Salesman.	*
53	Hawkes, John,	73	Shoemaker.	*
54	Flockton, Benj. A.	73	Stove-fitter.	*
54	Hines, Elmer R.	37	Freight agent.	*
54	Pettiner, William H.	45	Stove-mounter.	*
55	Paine, Merritt I.	58	Builder.	*
55	Hoseason, Robert H.	37	Book-keeper.	*
56	Kelley, Baltimore C.	25	Shipper.	*
56	Frye, Walter H.	44	Salesman.	*
57	Wiggin, Samuel J.	60	Nurse.	*
58	Crosby, Seth,	56	Cigar dealer.	*
59	Braxton, George W.	34	Polisher.	*
59	Tyler, Ernest A.	26	Piano maker.	*
60	Atherton, Wm. S.	52	Grocer.	*
60	Atherton, Wm. C.	20	Clerk.	*
62	Flockton, Joseph A.	46	Stove-fitter.	Avon ct.
63	Killorin, Thomas,	30	Salesman.	Auburn st.
63	Seabury, Frank W.	28	Painter.	*
64	Maxwell, Joseph E.	34	Harness-maker.	*
70	Killorin, James J.	75	Laborer.	*
72	Killorin, George W.	37	Contractor.	*
73	March, Frank H.	48	Retired.	*
94	Hartshorne, Jacob C.	57	Teller.	*
95	Eustis, Henry W.	63	Carpenter.	*
97	Howe, Charles H.	39	Teacher.	*
100	Smith, Taylor F.	49	Merchant.	*
100	Brewer, Joseph,	43	Laborer.	*
101	Clark, Frederick O.	60	Contractor.	*
101	Washington, Harry,	27	Gardener.	*
117	Woodward, Charles F.	45	Pres. St. Ry.	*
122	Whitten, C. Winsor,	41	Merchant.	*
122	Millerick, John,	21	Laborer.	Otis st.
126	Perkins, Oliver,	79	Retired.	*
126	Howland, William J.	23	Draughtsman.	*
126	Howland, Oliver W.	20	Foreman.	*
CHURCH STREET.				
8	Adams, John B.	82	Shoemaker.	*
8	Adams, John W.	55	Shoemaker.	*
14	Russell, George O.	40	Janitor.	*
14	Upton, Edward A.	68	Lawyer.	*

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16	Stark, Edwin,	51	Machinist.	*
24	Crocker, Wilber C.	43	Clerk.	*
34	Peabody, W. M. J.	45	Foundryman.	*
37	Dulong, Enos,	23	Laborer.	*
37	Bennett, Arthur,		Laborer.	*
37	Fillmore, Louis,	32	Laborer.	*
37	Robichéau, John,	28	Laborer.	*
38	Bickell, James F.	55	Pattern maker.	*
40	Story, William E.	67	Watchman.	*
40	Anthoine, Joseph H.	53	Shoemaker.	*
41	Doucette, James A.	39	Iceman.	*
42	Shepherd, Charles H.	71	Retired.	*
42	Seaver, George A.	71	Superintendent.	*
44	Maher, Daniel,	51	Gas stoker.	*
46	Minikin, John,	59	Blacksmith.	*
	Heath, Frank,	32	Teamster.	*
COMMON STREET.				
1	Horton, Oliver,	60	Moulder.	*
1	Smith, Wallace,	24	Laborer.	*
1	Smith, Thomas,	22	Laborer.	*
1	Smith, Stephen,	30	Laborer.	N. S.
1	Smith, Fred C.	21	Laborer.	*
5	Hartshorne, Henry G.		Merchant.	*
5	Beebe, John H.	44	Clerk.	*
CONVERSE STREET.				
11	Allbee, Alexander C.	52	Pattern-maker.	*
17	Phinney, David A.	45	Carpenter.	*
17	Phinney, Albert D.	45	Carpenter.	*
19	Berry, Gilbert S.	32	Laborer.	Richardson st.
23	Whitney, Edward F.	43	Machinist.	*
24	Whitney, Jacob O.	55	Carpenter.	*
27	Burdett, Michael B.	60	Salesman.	*
27	Burdett, Frederick C.	33	Conductor.	*
28	Phelps, Charles H.	38	Moulder.	*
29	Slack, Walter H.	43	Clerk.	*
31	Oxley, Albert D.	39	Wood-worker.	*
41	Teagne, George H.	62	Carpenter.	*
41	Teagne, Horace B. S.	23	Clerk.	*
41	Teague, George L.	21	Clerk.	*
59	Myers, C. Fred,	38	Japanner.	*

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COURT STREET.				
1	Hunter, George W.	31	Letter carrier.	*
9.	Hunter, Joseph S.	25	Conductor.	*
9	Hunter, Needham C.	60	Shoemaker.	*
9	Goodwin, David,	30	Wood-worker.	*
9	McNeil, Henry,	55	Wood bender.	Sweetser st.
	Dulong, Simon,	35	Painter.	Pleasant st.
	Dulong, John,	45	Stone mason.	Pleasant st.
CORDIS STREET.				
6	Nichols, George R.	54	Shoemaker.	*
6	Nichols, Edward E.	25	Shoemaker.	*
12	Godfrey, Warren H.	65	Fish-dealer.	*
23	Wormwood, James G.	71	Carpenter.	*
24	White, William F.	51	Shoe cutter.	Sweetser st.
25	Shedd, Benjamin F.	61	Farmer.	*
25	Shedd, Warren F.	31	Farmer.	*
29	McIntire, Walter J.	39	Shoemaker.	*
33	Strong, Ezra,	37	Carpenter.	*
41	Daly, Richard J.	31	Provision dealer.	*
47	Reed, Herbert.	47	Farmer.	*
49	Burdett, George H.	40	Shoemaker.	*
53	Stubbs, Alexander,	70	Whitewasher.	*
61	Woodburn, James L.	43	Laborer.	*
61	Woodburn, Henry F.	38	Painter.	*
	Gray, Israel,	76	Carpenter.	*
	Derby, William,	33	Laborer.	Fitch ct.
COTTAGE STREET.				
1	McGraw, Michael,	26	Longshoreman.	*
2	Cronin, James, 2d,	41	Rattan worker.	*
2	Ahlert, William,	59	Rattan worker.	*
4	Houston, James.	49	Rattan worker.	*
4	Edgar, Donald,	26	Music teacher.	Yale Ave.
5	Kenney, Patrick, 2d,	48	Laborer.	*
8	Keeley, Thomas,	47	Rattan worker.	*
11	Riley, Frank,	53	Rattan worker.	*
CRESCENT STREET.				
5	Gendrault, Fred,	40	Shoemaker.	*
5	Moran, Joseph,	34	Rattan worker.	Pleasant st.
6	Colson, Samuel G.	37	Letter carrier.	Emerson st.
10	Jaquith, Harry,	45	Concreter.	Rockland st.

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10	Ryan, Herbert,	36	Reed worker.	Charles st.
10	Leach, Frank,	30	Shoemaker.	*
11	Wiley, J. Barnard,	53	Mason.	*
13	Day, John,	67	Auctioneer.	*
17	Magee, Thomas,	65	Laborer.	*
17	Magee, George,	26	Expressman.	*
19	Crocker, Luther,	76	Agent.	*
21	Mansfield, John R.	65	Physician.	*
25	Parker, Henry,	62	Crossing tender.	*
25	Johnston, Alexander S.	28	Clerk.	*
27	Butler, Frank E.	35	Fish dealer.	*
27	Anderson, August,		Rattan worker.	*
27	Morrison, Elmer E.	34	Lather.	Emerson st.
30	Morton, Alex. A.	23	Student.	*
30	Morton, Joseph,	66	Salesman.	*
31	Purrlington, Elwin I.	40	Carpenter.	*
32	Smith, George H.	40	Salesman.	*
33	Cobb, Edward F., Jr.	24	Cashier.	*
33	Gannett, Matthew,	72	Retired.	*
35	Goodhue, William E.	51	Carpenter.	*
35	Hobart, Albert W.	40	Clerk.	Orchard st.
36	Taylor, George H.	37	Plumber.	*
37	Philbrook, George H.	67	Engineer.	*
39	Chapman, Amos W.	75	Retired.	*
43	Latimer, Crozier,	37	Expressman.	*
43	Henkel, Frank J.	38	Piano maker.	*
44	Hanley, William M.	40	Salesman.	*
44	Wiley, Warren B.	27	Station agent.	*
44	Kendall, George W.	71	Wheelwright.	Main st.
45	Cutter, Isaac M.	48	Rattan worker.	*
46	Cann, Thomas B.	51	Machinist.	*
48	Preston, John A.	43	Scale manuf'r.	*
50	Henderson, Charles A.	42	Reed worker.	*
50	Bayrd, Charles L.	42	Musician.	*
	Hart, Charles H.		Teamster.	Main st.
CROSS STREET.				
	Shanahan, Daniel F.	37	Laborer.	*
CRESCENT COURT.				
5	Atwell, William H., Jr.	52	Custom House.	*
5	Atwell, Charles A.	22	Clerk.	*
6	Hunter, Herbert M.	29	Ins. agent.	*

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CRESCENT CT., Con.				
6	Buckley, John H.	39	Rattan worker.	*
6	Tupper, Lee,	27	Piano-maker.	*
7	Smith, Elisha N.	44	Merchant.	*
8	Henry, John A.	81	Retired.	*
9	Linnell, Arthur P.	46	Merchant.	*
10	Henry, Fred H.	46	Salesman.	*
11	Linnell, George W.	48	Book-keeper.	*
14	Chesley, Charles E.	25	Rattan worker.	*
14	Gross, Uz B.	25	Shoemaker.	*
14	Parker, William E.	35	Reed worker.	*
CURVE STREET.				
	Crosby, Frank M.	43	Piano-maker.	*
	Bridge, Charles,	28	Salesman.	*
	Pearson, Harry A.	26	Clerk.	*
	Mitchell, Herbert T.	28	Carpenter.	*
CEDAR COURT.				
	Davis, Augustus B.	43	Carpenter.	Park st.
EATON STREET.				
1	Howard, Justin,	53	Carpenter.	*
5	Miller, James W.	35	Clerk.	Crescent st.
6	Cutler, Fred E.	35	Grocer.	*
6	Cutler, Nathaniel E.	61	Grocer.	*
6	Cutler, A. Leon.	21	Student.	*
10	Smith, Frank W.	45	Clerk.	*
10	Grover, Fred,	34	Foreman.	*
11	Ripley, Winfield S.	59	Musician.	*
11	Ripley, Aden P.	24	Musician.	*
11	Ripley, Winfield S., Jr.	28	Musician.	*
12	Smith, Porter,	84	Shoemaker.	*
14	Stone, Orrin,	55	Shoemaker.	*
14	Stone, Orrin A.	26	Piano-maker.	*
14	Stone, Fred I.	23	Clerk.	*
15	Newhall, Fred E.	32	Granite dealer.	*
16	Sedgeley, Alton R.	32	Undertaker.	*
16	Walton, Oliver,	60	Undertaker.	*
17	Carter, Lewis E.	31	Grocer.	*
19	Chadsey, Daniel N.	57	Jeweller.	*
20	Merchant, Sidney,	61	Painter.	*
23	Heath, Burton A.	40	Lunch cart.	Albion st.
24	Dalrymple, Horace W.	48	Machinist.	*

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ELM STREET.				
1	Eaton, William H.	56	Clergyman.	*
2	Martin, James.	38	Machinist.	Wiley pl.
18	Carleton, William A.	48	Ins. agent.	*
29	Holland, John T.		Winder.	Gould st.
40	Smith, George E.	41	Carpenter.	*
42	McKinnon, Archibald.	45	Carpenter.	*
43	Stetson, Benj. F.	42	Book-keeper.	*
44	Freelove, James L.	26	Electrician.	*
44	McDuffee, Edwin.	33	Carpenter.	*
44	McDuffee, Franklin,	25	Buyer.	*
60	Davis, Charles R.	35	Weigher.	Everett.
60	Pelton, Calvin T.	40	Laborer.	Cambridge.
74	Childs, Austin P.	46	Teamster.	*
77	Carter, Edwin S.	72	Engineer.	*
77	Carter, Daniel F.	29	Engineer.	*
78	Brown, Alfred,	59	Carpenter.	*
84	Kendall, Wallace,	41	Carriage painter.	*
91	Ricker, Edgar J.	29	Engraver.	*
129	Doucette, Joseph,	34	Ice man.	Walnut ave.
129	Doucette, Louis,	28	Ice man.	Gould st.
133	Muse, William J.	26	Ice man.	*
	Doucette, Jeremiah M.	33	Stone mason.	*
	Doucette, Timothy,	53	Stone mason.	*
	Anderson, John, 3d,			
	Woodland, James B.		Grader.	Lynnfield.
ELM SQUARE.				
	Cate, Frederick S.	37	Student.	*
9	Webber, Albert P.	31	Carpenter.	*
10	Lamont, George T.	46	Rattan worker.	*
10	Lamont, Arthur T.	22	Wood worker.	*
11	Sherritt, James F.	36	Painter.	*
12	Belmore, Ernest M.	33	Carver.	*
	Heuslin, Felix B.	36	Clerk.	*
	Stone, Charles L.	29	Electrician.	Boston.
	Sederquest, George,	60	Carpenter.	Cedar st.
EMERALD STREET.				
3	Donovan, Thomas,	28	Rattan worker.	*
4	Little, Willis F.	42	Watchman.	*
4	O'Connor, David J.	27	Clerk.	*
6	Gleason, Jeremiah J.	24	Polisher.	*

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EMERALD ST., Con.				
6	Paulson, Carl,	24	Winder.	Mechanic st.
9	Hurtin, James,	31	Laborer.	*
10	Welch, John, 2d,	33	Mason.	*
10	Murphy, John J.	24	Laborer.	*
11	Regan, James,	54	Laborer.	*
11	Regan, Patrick J.	24	Shoemaker.	*
11	Glynn, Martin,	58	Laborer.	*
11	Glynn, Michael,	23	Rattan worker.	*
11	Simpson, Clarence,	34	Rattan worker.	*
11	Regan, John J.	21	Rattan worker.	*
12	O'Connell, Thomas,	61	Weaver.	*
12	O'Connell, Thomas G.	26	Clerk.	*
13	Welch, Michael,	69	Rattan worker.	*
14	O'Neal, John,	61	Laborer.	*
14	Finn, John,	57	Rattan worker.	*
15	Galvin, James,	31	Mason.	*
15	Hallisey, Michael,	28	Mason.	*
16	McTague, Hugh,	39	Rattan worker.	*
18	Roach, Thomas,	49	Rattan worker.	*
18	Wrenn, Dennis,	31	Rattan worker.	*
EMERSON STREET.				
6	Perry, Austin E.	56	Machinist.	*
6	Perry, Fred,	25	Salesman.	*
8	Muse, Felix G.	31	Stone mason.	*
8	Hatfield, John,	37	Laborer.	Bartley st.
8	Doucette, John,	46	Stone mason.	*
9	Mead, James,	36	Wood worker.	*
9	Murphy, Patrick J.	32	Buffer.	*
9	Willett, Edward,	30	Paper hanger.	Boston.
10	Frost, Daniel,	36	Carpenter.	*
10	LeFave, Louis,	38	Fish dealer.	Mechanic st.
12	Penniman, Charles,	53	Tinsmith.	*
13	Whidden, David,	47	Carpenter.	*
13	Feindle, Henry A.	28	Carpenter.	*
13	Feindle, William B.	26	Blacksmith.	*
13	Dowling, George,	38	Carpenter.	Hull.
14	Cobb, Irving L.	22	Shoemaker.	*
14	Brennan, William J.	45	Blacksmith.	*
15	Hallisey, Michael,	27	Mason.	Richardson st.
17	Gammons, John F.	20	Rattan worker.	*
18	Smith, William E.	51	Laborer.	*

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18	Packard, Haswell F.	22	Draughtsman.	*
18	Packard, William H.	53	Piano-maker.	*
19	Scott, James W.	34	Shoemaker.	Lynn.
21	Hanwright, Edward A.	25	Brass finisher.	*
29	Burbank, Charles M.	65	Piano-maker.	*
31	Bryant, Eugene C.	51	Inventor.	Pleasant st.
33	Collett, Joseph,	22	Laborer.	Lincoln st.
33	Doucette, Mark,	28	Reed worker.	Vernon st.
34	Stillings, Calvin O.	37	Agent.	Lynn.
35	Lawrence, Mariner S.	35	Book-keeper.	*
39	Hickey, James A.	44	Engineer.	*
39	Burke, James W.	23	Engineer.	Needham.
39	McLoughlin, Joseph B.	57	Laborer.	Chestnut st.
	Segerblom, William,	25	Student.	*
40	Sweetser, Edward S.	53	Machinist.	*
41	Reynolds, Thos. M. S.	27	Plumber.	Crescent st.
EUSTIS AVENUE,				
	Eustis, Harry W.	31	Clerk.	*
FAIRMOUNT AVENUE.				
5	Hill, Harry,	24	Book-keeper.	*
5	Hill, William S.	61	Piano-maker.	*
7	Rand, George D.	64	Architect.	*
9	Hinkley, Eugene S.	51	Salesman.	*
14	Biggs, Charles H.	29	Machinist.	*
14	Biggs, William,	73	Rope maker.	*
14	Biggs, Robert,	26	Machinist.	*
19	Knight, E. Amos,	31	Salesman.	*
19	Knight, Arthur P.	33	Salesman.	*
19	Knight, Willard.	74	Salesman.	*
20	Gibson, Arthur D.	32	Piano-tuner.	*
	Mason, Willis S.	49	Book-keeper.	*
	Moncrief, George E.	31	Barber.	*
	Maxwell, Wilbert T.	38	Moulder.	*
	Partridge, Edwin R.	36	Clerk.	*
	White, Frederick B.	37	Piano-maker.	*
	White, Samuel L.	70	Piano-maker.	*
	White, Samuel P.	29	Student.	*
	Dealand, Arthur H.	38	Provision d'r.	Somerville.
	Thorndike, Fred K.	39	Provision d'r.	Boston.

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FARM STREET.				
	Donald, George E.	52	Almshouse supt.	*
	Murray, Alexander,	51	Farmer.	*
	Murray, James B.	54	Salesman.	*
	Oliver, Albert F.	37	Chair-maker.	*
	Johnson, Frank,	31	Farmer.	*
	Stack, Richard,	77	Retired.	*
	Wilder, George W.	69	Retired.	*
	Edmands, Ralph,	21	Farmer.	*
FITCH COURT.				
2	Crowley, William,	59	Rattan worker.	*
2	Talbot, John,	28	Laborer.	*
2	Talbot, James,	26	Laborer.	*
2	Talbot, Edmond.	22	Laborer.	*
4	Downes, Patrick,	48	Laborer.	*
9	Lyons, John W.	54	Shoemaker.	*
13	Flynn, John,	64	Laborer.	*
	Sullivan, Daniel,	37	Laborer.	Emerald st
	Froton, Peter,	40	Shoemaker.	Elm st.
	Bannon, John H.	33	Teamster.	Vernon st.
	Dulong, Raymond,	29	Rattan worker.	Central st.
FOUNDRY STREET.				
10	Muse, Joseph.	59	Stone mason.	*
10	Deveau, Reuben,	31	Laborer.	*
10	Deveau, John,	56	Stone mason.	*
10	White, Joseph H.	38	Laborer.	*
11	Murphy, Dennis,	50	Laborer.	*
11	Hanwright, George F.	29	Moulder.	*
13	Kelley, John E.	42	Laborer.	*
13	Desmond, Patrick,	31	Laborer.	*
13	Johnson, Arthur,	23	Driver.	*
13	Harney, Patrick,	23	Laborer.	*
13	Griffin, James.	23	Laborer.	*
	Deveau, Edmund,	22	Rattan worker.	*
FRANK STREET.				
	Luscomb, William F.	63	Retired.	*
	Lord, Albert E.		Moulder.	*

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FRANKLIN STREET.				
6	Cameron, Howard H.	23	Stenographer.	*
6	Cameron, John J.	50	Harness maker.	*
8	Block, William L.	33	Grocer.	*
9	Dennett, William J.	35	Stenographer.	*
14	Jenkins, Augustus D.	35	Rattan worker.	*
14	Sweetser, Edmund,	55	Shoemaker.	*
16	Sawyer, Martin L.	41	Framer.	*
16	Parks, Albert,	38	Mason.	Revere.
19	Curley, William T.	21	Student.	*
19	Curley, Martin J.	56	Grain dealer.	*
19	Little, Charles G.	21	Grocer.	Elm st.
22	O'Neil, Michael H.	35	Rattan worker.	*
32	Thrush, George J.	28	Rattan worker.	*
32	Thrush, Thomas.	59	Rattan worker.	*
32	Thrush, William A.	26	Rattan worker.	*
34	Cade, B. Frank.	32	Piano-maker.	*
	Rollins, Richard T.	65	Mason.	*
	McCulloch, Peter.	60	Moulder.	*
	Carey, George W.	40	Gardener.	*
	Doucette, John E.	23	Stone mason.	Foundry st.
GOULD STREET.				
3	Anderson, John A.	49	Machinist.	*
3	Locke, Hiram G.	37	Laborer.	*
5	Carr, James,	44	Laborer.	Albion st.
7	Berry, Frank B.	45	Conductor.	Converse st.
7	Seabury, S. M.	35	Painter.	*
12	Shaw, Oliver F.	47	Plumber.	*
13	Howard, Fred C.		Bicycle dealer.	Stoneham.
13	Blanchard, Abner J.	73	Retired. .	*
14	Wilson, Robert,	38	Moulder.	*
14	Hickey, John.	50	Foreman.	*
16	Kennedy, James.	32	Brass finisher.	*
16	Kennedy, Martin,	24	Moulder.	*
16	Donovan, Cornelius.	46	Carpenter.	*
18	Skulley, Joseph M.	52	Foreman.	*
18	Skulley, William C.	26	Clerk.	*
18	Gihon, Edward J.	33	Shoemaker.	Albion st.
19	Burchstead, James F.	47	Shoemaker.	*
19	Burchstead, Alonzo,	24	Clerk.	*
19	McIntire, George O.	39	Shoemaker.	Albion st.
20	Kernan, John W.	22	Student.	*

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GOULD ST., Cont'd.				
20	Kernan, Thomas,	52	Moulder.	*
22	Perkins, Albert R.	46	Clothing cutter.	*
22	Slack, George F.	48	Clerk.	*
24	McIntosh, George P.	26	Wheelwright.	*
28	Hendrickson, John,	36	Tailor.	*
28	Asp, Gustavus,	40	Tailor.	*
37	Muse, Alfred,	24	Laborer.	*
37	Muse, Sylvine B.	42	Laborer.	*
37	Doucette, Isaiah,		Laborer.	
40	Rogers, Herbert L.	40	Manufacturer.	*
89	Tapper, F. O.	32	Shoemaker.	*
91	Crafts, Nathan F.	62	Retired.	*
93	Alden, Joseph D.	46	Painter.	*
95	Thorndike, Frank H.	38	Shoemaker.	*
97	Birch, William F.	38	Electrician.	Boston.
97	David, Thomas F.	25	Cigar maker.	Boston.
99	Tapper, Frank P.	59	Shoemaker.	*
99	Johnson, Gustavus A.	31	Shoemaker.	*
	Russell, Wilbur E.	34	Laborer.	*
	Johnson, James B.	47	Manager.	*
	Webster, Christopher C.	70	Retired.	*
GRAND PASSWAY.				
	Balmain, Colin,	30	Machinist.	*
	Balmain, James,	61	Farmer.	*
HART STREET.				
1	Doucette, Joseph O.	51	Laborer.	Bartley st.
2	Bond, John,	38	Carpenter.	*
2	Singer, Archibald,	34	Laborer.	*
4	Hopkins, Thomas G.	46	Rattan worker.	*
8	McHugh, Thomas,	59	Rattan worker.	*
8	McHugh, John T.	22	Foundryman.	*
10	Reardon, William H.	31	Rattan worker.	*
15	Sullivan, William H.	34	Rattan worker.	*
	Cooney, Ambrose,	59	Retired.	*
HERBERT STREET.				
5	Kelley, Michael J.	31	Rattan worker.	*
5	McMahan, Thomas H.	42	Foundryman.	*
8	Welsh, Thomas Jos.	42	Chairmaker.	*
10	McCarthy, James,	31	Rattan worker.	*

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22	McCarthy, Michael,	63	Laborer.	*
12	Obarski, Albert,	33	Rattan worker.	*
19	McMahan, John,	71	Rattan worker.	*
20	Neiss, John,	28	Laborer.	*
20	Neiss, Fred J.	57	Laborer.	*
21	McCarthy, Charles,	52	Laborer.	*
22	Murphy, Jeremiah D.	26	Clerk.	*
22	Murphy, William H.	24	Rattan worker.	*
	Richard, Isaac,	48	Rattan worker.	Green st.
	Holmes, James,	23	Track worker.	Vernon st.
	Dugan, Timothy,	32	Rattan worker.	Vernon st.
	Dugan, Patrick,	23	Rattan worker.	Vernon st.
HIGHLAND AVENUE.				
1	Newhall, T. Arthur,	23	Clerk.	Gould st.
3	Nealon, James P.	27	Painter.	Albion st.
3	McAdams, George W.	30	Painter.	Bryant st.
3	Walsh, James,	25	Painter.	N. J.
4	Kennedy, John,	45	Wheelwright.	Cedar st.
4	McIntosh, Alexander B.	30	Carriage maker.	Cedar st.
5	Pierce, Frank W.	41	Expressman.	Prospect st.
7	Holden, John M.	31	Shoemaker.	
8	Butterfield, George W.	38	Physician.	Ashland.
HIGHLAND STREET.				
7	Gaetz, James A.	42	Engineer.	*
10	Mahoney, John F.	24	Plumber.	*
10	Mahoney, Dennis,	63	Laborer.	*
11	Madden, D. Henry,	23	Rattan worker.	*
11	Madden, Frank,	24	Engraver.	*
11	White, John A.	38	Rattan worker.	*
12	Russell, Joseph A.	26	Rattan worker.	*
13	Horrigan, John,	29	Rubber worker.	*
13	Horrigan, Patrick J.	21	Laundryman.	*
14	Singer, George I.	31	Teamster.	*
14	Laugh, John,	44	Laborer.	*
18	Cavinaro, James,	47	Painter.	*
18	Clynes, Bartholomew,	32	Rattan worker.	Herbert st.
	Curran, Michael,	27	Laborer.	*
	Swanson, Carl,	41	Rattan worker.	*

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HILLSIDE AVENUE.				
	Ricker, Edmund E.	27	Salesman.	*
	Eaton, Victor,	57	Crossing tender.	*
	Merrill, Walter,	31	Painter.	*
	Lenfest, S. A.	51	Salesman.	*
HOPKINS STREET.				
	Hopkins, Albert E.	29	Farmer.	*
	Hopkins, Herbert W.	29	Farmer.	*
	Hopkins, Joseph E.	35	Farmer.	*
	Hopkins, Sumner E.	81	Farmer.	*
	Greenough, Arthur,	41	Contractor.	*
JORDAN AVENUE.				
	Jordan, Charles,	68	Physician.	*
	Cowdrey, George A.	23	Student.	*
	Montgomery, William,	78	Insurance agent.	*
	Greenleaf, Stillman A.	33	Teller.	*
LAFAYETTE STREET.				
9	Shelton, Fred,	36	Motorman.	*
10	Sawyer, Edwin,	85	Retired.	*
12	Bouvé, Henry S.	28	Salesman.	*
13	Heath, Charles F.	56	Supt.	Chestnut st.
16	Carey, George P.	52	Retired.	Groton.
16	Carey, Rufus A.	50	Retired.	Groton.
17	Morrill, John G.	66	Ice dealer.	*
18	Perkins, Walter F.	39	Salesman.	*
19	Gould, John C.	42	Shipper.	*
20	Taylor, Warren V.	50	Provision dealer.	*
22	Parsons, Israel A.	65	Carpenter.	*
22	Parsons, Fred A.	21	Clerk.	*
23	Skinner, Benjamin L.	69	Shoemaker.	*
23½	Skinner, Arthur,	37	Foreman.	*
25	Widdell, Martin,	42	Shoemaker.	*
26	Spaulding, Charles S.	40	Superintendent.	*
26	Vannah, Alvin L.	40	Chief of Police.	*
28	Gowen, Franklin A.	51	Dep. Controller.	*
29	Bouvé, Allston G.	52	Dentist.	*
29	Bouvé, Alan,	23	Salesman.	*
32	Emerson, John H.	71	Shoemaker.	*
36	Parker, J. Fred,	39	Merchant.	*

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LAKE STREET.				
1	Cecca, Angie de,	28	Fruit dealer.	*
1	Cecca, Antonio de,	55	Fruit dealer.	*
1	Stamegna, Joseph,	35	Fruit dealer.	*
5	Sullo, Niccolo,	30	Stone cutter.	Boston.
8	Potter, James W.	72	Carpenter.	*
10	Hanwright, James H.	54	Carpenter.	W. Water.
11	Maxim, Charles R.	70	Merchant.	*
11	Maxim, George O.	39	Clerk.	*
14	Sweetser, Fred L	30	Printer.	*
14	Doyle, Patrick F.	34	Section hand.	*
16	Horton, James R.	68	Carpenter.	*
17	Muse, John A.	56	Mason.	*
18	Morgan, Hugh,	46	Mason.	*
21	Phelan, Richard B.	21	Conductor.	*
23	Hill, Robert S.	44	Porter.	*
28	Muse, Joseph, 2nd,	35	Currier.	*
29	Ford, Edward,	32	Stove-mounter.	*
29	Hanglin, Jeremiah J.	44	Polisher.	*
30	Barry, John P.	37	Nickle-plater.	*
31	Powers, Thomas,	32	Buffer.	*
31	Quinn, Peter,	42	Laborer.	*
31	Murphy, Patrick J.	32	Nickle worker.	Emerson st.
32	Ahern, John,	59	Laborer.	*
33	O'Conner, Michael,	67	Laborer.	*
33	Lodato, William,	38	Shoemaker.	*
33	Holloran, George H.	24	Painter.	Winchester.
33	Surette, James,	30	Carpenter.	Pleasant st.
34	Collins, John,	39	Section forem'n.	*
34	Collins, James,	35	Section hand.	*
35	Kirk, Lawrence H.	41	Grain dealer.	*
36	Foley, John James,	28	Heel cutter.	*
42	Greany, William,	53	Shipper.	*
42	Greany, John W.	26	Pattern-maker.	*
42	Greany, Jeremiah,	23	Mason.	*
42	Greaney, Dennis, 2nd,	22	Book-keeper.	*
45	Butler, Aloysius P.	26	Moulder.	Bartley st.
45	Sullivan, John J.	31	Laborer.	Nelly st.
46	Cadigan, John.	39	Stove-mounter.	*
47	Finnegan, Michael,	38	Moulder.	*
47	O'Connell, Michael,	54	Contractor.	*
47	O'Connell, Michael, Jr.	21		*
47	Sloan, William J.	71	Crossing tender.	Mechanic st.

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LAKE AVENUE.				
3	Wiley, Albert S.	67	Gardener.	*
3	Wiley, Wm. Harrington,	38	Boat livery,	*
5	Eaton, Walter S.	49	Clerk.	*
LAKESIDE AVENUE.				
5	Cronan, Jeremiah,	22	Laborer.	*
5	Cronan, Timothy,	25	Rubber worker.	*
10	Hackett, Frank H.	25	Clerk.	*
10	Hackett, George G.	52	Manager.	*
39	Jones, William F.	48	Painter.	*
39	Jones, Alfred F.	22	Rattan worker.	*
LINDEN STREET.				
	Anderson, W. F.		Provision dealer.	*
LAWRENCE STREET.				
10	Emerson, E. Eugene,	55	Shoe mfr.	*
15	Clapp, Frank A.	59	Retired.	*
15	Fuller, Andrew D.	24	Civil Engineer.	*
16	Maddock, George H.	50	Merchant.	*
16	Ferris, Fletcher,	24	Coachman.	*
18	Miller, Edwin C.	40	Piano m'fr.	*
20	Nichols, Jefferson J.	52	Salesman.	*
20	Sleeper, Fred W.	55	Shoemaker.	*
21	Stimpson, George W.	78	Retired.	*
23	Flint, Albert W.	29	Book-keeper.	866 Main st.
24	Eaton, Henry,	76	Retired.	*
27	Sweetser, Charles H.	25	Student.	*
27	Bowman, Charles B.	38	Clerk.	*
29	Farwell, James W.	50	Piano-maker.	*
31	Pettitt, Henry,	73	Retired.	*
31	Mellet, Alfred E.	33	Foreman.	*
33	Porter, Frank M.	29	Printer.	*
35	Chandler, Albert E.	38	Superintendent.	*
37	Craige, Temple F.	39	Superintendent.	*
39	Lillie, William H.	32	Baker.	New York.
40	Connell, Joseph H.	39	Laborer.	*
41	Crowell, John W.	65	Peddler.	*
41	Eldridge, Chris. H.	26	Polisher.	*

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LINCOLN STREET.				
	Doucette, Jeremiah,	52	Laborer.	*
	Moore, William,	28	Rattan worker.	*
	Herne, Samuel,	46	Teamster.	Vernon st.
LOWELL STREET.				
9	Milliken, John,	42	Fish dealer.	Reading.
14	Goodwin, Albert G.	39	Salesman.	*
14	Olin, Frederick P.	40	Laborer.	Wilmington.
	Rosson, Charles P.	56	Farmer.	*
	Newhall, Charles W.	28	Collector.	*
	Newhall, Eben T.	25	Clerk.	*
	Newhall, John S.	60	Printer.	*
15	Waldo, James A., Jr.	26	Clerk.	Boston.
97	Burley, John,	56	Farmer.	*
147	Parker, Moses P.	47	Farmer.	*
173	Grinnell, Edgar L.	42	Teamster.	*
179	Mansfield, Austin L.	42	Wood dealer.	*
184	Hewes, Rufus K.	57	Painter.	*
185	Mansfield, James F.	42	Wood dealer.	*
200	Bailey, Bert L.	35	Paper hanger.	*
200	Bailey, Adelma H.	45	Salesman.	*
203	Parker, Samuel T.	40	Florist.	*
225	Brown, James W. S.	41	Fish dealer.	*
227	Nickerson, Franklin,	66	Fish dealer.	*
228	Shepard, Charles A.	34	Teamster.	*
228	Shepard, William O.	38	Teamster.	*
231	Smith, Edward K.	58	Expressman.	*
231	Smith, Arthur,	21	Clerk.	*
231	Jackman, Charles W.	62	Farmer.	*
231	Jackman, Willard,	25	Teacher.	*
234	Derby, Jonas,	83	Shoemaker.	*
238	Oliver, Ernest E.	54	Carpenter.	*
240	Batson, John H.	63	Rattan worker.	*
241	Sheldon, Chauncey E.	41	Cabinet maker.	*
244	Winn, Harry W.	48	Electrician.	*
257	Buxton, William C.	38	Shoemaker.	*
257	Burdett, Charles H.	40	Shoemaker.	Lynn.
289	Hennessey, James J.	26	Laborer.	*
289	Buxton, Charles E.	34	Shoemaker.	*
289	Hurley, Maurice F.	43	Farmer.	*
291	Lee, William J.	38	Farmer.	*
	Fogg Lewis,	58	Stone mason.	*

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LOWELL ST., Con.				
	Fogg, Edward L.	29	Stone mason.	*
	Humphrey, Michael,	53	Shoemaker.	*
	Lyons, Dennis.	41	Wine merchant.	*
	Lyons, Michael F.	43	Wine merchant.	Boston.
	Moses, Thomas H.	27	Shoemaker.	*
	Moses, William H.	23	Clerk.	*
	Preston, Edward F.	36	Salesman.	*
	Frazer, Harry,	59	Laborer.	*
	Baker, Charles D.	32	Farmer.	*
	Horne, William,	56	Rug weaver.	Rockland st.
	Horne, William, Jr.	28	Rattan worker.	Rockland st.
	Mayers, William H.	33	Moulder.	Rockland st.
MAIN STREET.				
6	Kenrick, Lewis I.	40	Farmer.	*
6	Kenrick, William A.	83	Farmer.	*
41	Donald, Thomas W.	68	Farmer.	*
41	Garniss, Charles,	61	Salesman.	*
	Daly, Dennis,	61	Farmer.	*
	Daly, Timothy F.	26	Salesman.	*
119	Bateman, William,	40	Foundryman.	Montrose.
162	Beebe, Cyrus G.	48	Merchant.	*
162	Beebe, Junius,	43	Merchant.	*
186	Parker, Samuel,	72	Shoemaker.	*
200	Lord, Fred N	26	Electrician.	*
204	Richardson, Charles H.	39	Retired.	*
210	Young, William F.	77	Retired.	*
210	Young, Charles S.	34	Book-keeper.	*
216	Lane, Paul E.	36	Trimmer.	*
222	Eaton, Hiram,	82	Retired.	*
228	Wright, Albert J.	58	Printer.	*
230	Morrison, George R.	83	Shoe cutter.	*
246	Matherson, James W.	25	Coachman.	*
246	Aborn, John G.	75	Retired.	*
254	Delfendahl, Clarence S.	35	Banker.	*
254	Roberts, Peter S.	69	Merchant.	*
262	Barnard, Benjamin F.	73	Retired.	*
270	Carpenter, Fred B.	36	Insurance agent.	*
278	Emerson, Frank H.	41	Clerk.	*
278	Emerson, James F.	67	Retired.	*
286	Emerson, Howard,	65	Salesman.	*
286	Tompkins, William,	48	Coachman.	*

Street No.	Name.	Age.	Occupation.	Residence last year.
286	Woodard, Clarence R.	22	Farmer.	Cordis st.
286	Woodard, Nelson H.	42	Engineer.	Cordis st.
290	Driver, George H. S.	56	Real estate.	*
290	Driver, Harold B.	20	Bank clerk.	*
310	Wilson, George F.	51	Music teacher.	*
318	Green, Stillman J.	29	Laster.	Mechanic st.
318	O'Connell, John P.	32	Rattan worker.	Beacon st.
318	Upham, Harry E.	21	Clerk.	Stoneham.
328	Eaton, Chester W.	60	Lawyer.	*
328	Eaton, Theodore,	26	Student.	*
340	Bassett, William S.	60	Salesman.	*
352	Batchelder, George,	49	Salesman.	*
359	Stearns, Charles H.	77	Carpenter.	*
359	Bliss, Charles R.	69	Clergyman.	Chicago.
361	White, John W.	49	Merchant.	*
370	Neiforth, Thomas,	28	Rubber worker.	*
370	Carleton, Albert A.	36	Restaurant.	*
370	Gans, Robert,	21	Teamster.	*
372	Ward, J. Herman,	34	Shipper.	*
373	Mansfield, Edward,	85	Conveyancer.	*
373	Mansfield, Edward S.	27	Student.	*
373	Mansfield, Hubbard B.	23	Clerk.	*
373	Bumpus, Horatio,	62	Shoemaker.	*
374	Hawkes, Albert,	24	Piano-maker.	*
383	Cling Song,	38	Laundryman.	*
388	Coleman, Harry,	26	Rattan worker.	*
388	Emblich, John,	36	Painter.	*
388	Linn, John,	31	Coachman.	*
388	McCaskell, William,	47	Boarding house.	*
388	Henry, Charles T.	49	Rattan worker.	*
388	Hughes, Joseph,	25	Hostler.	*
388	Burns, Peter,	35	Hat maker.	Boston.
388	Flynn, William,	27	Rattan worker.	Water st.
396	Gilchrist, Archibald,	25	Plumber.	*
396	Sweetser, Berton H.		Clerk.	Worcester.
396	Wanamake, William J.		Engineer.	*
396	Gillon, Edward F.	31	Dentist.	*
416	Weir, Harry,	24	Clerk.	*
426	Cheney, C. H. R.	70	Jeweller.	*
432	Butler, Aaron,	74	Merchant.	*
432	Butler, Aaron A.	29	Contractor.	*
432	Butler, Willie E.	24	Laborer.	*
432	Butler, Oscar,	21	Teamster.	*

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MAIN ST., Cont'd.				
437	Kalaher, Cornelius A.	60	Retired.	Boston.
441	Kin Yu,	36	Laundryman.	*
445	Harnden, Fred G.	46	Salesman.	*
445	Harnden, Frank W.	20	Clerk.	*
445	Karnes, James,	41	Moulder.	Lake st.
445	Gates, William,	20	Painter.	*
445	Burrill, William,	50	Moulder.	*
445	Atherton, James E.	56	Piano worker.	Water st.
445	Blaisdell, Frank E.	24	Tel. operator.	*
445	McKenzie, Donald,	45	Painter.	W. Water st.
445	May, Stephen H.		Rattan maker.	*
445	Leary, Timothy,	28	Moulder.	Richardson ave.
447	Bingham, Samuel J.	38	Rest'ra'nt k'per.	*
447	Hiltz, Leander F.	42	Barber.	*
447	Baldwin, John A.	25	Conductor.	Woburn.
447	Wedge, David,	27	Conductor.	Lynn.
447	Hudson, Herbert W.	37	Agent.	Nahant st.
448	McWhirter, Josiah,	30	Wood worker.	*
448	McWhirter, Henry,	23	Winder.	*
452	Graham, George,	28	Rattan worker.	*
452	Bishop, Mortimer,	27	Rattan worker.	*
463	Richardson, Solon O.	56	Retired.	*
463	Hartshorne, Charles F.	62	Insurance agent.	*
463	Hartshorne, Fred'k S.	29	Insurance agent.	*
497	Sweetser, Fred A.	33	Clerk.	*
497	Knowles, Charles S.	50	Carpenter.	*
501	Sweetser, Frank H.	40	Salesman.	*
503	Coakley, Michael,	44	Teamster.	*
503	Coakley, John F.	20	Clerk.	*
503	Kane, John H.	35	Laborer.	Emerald st.
507	Cate, Albert D.	44	Grocer.	*
507	Connelly, John,	51	Section hand.	*
507	Connelly, William D.	24	Clerk.	*
509	Atkinson, Olaf,	28	Coachman.	*
509	Bell, William,	42	Gardener.	*
517	Coon, Chauncey,	72	Merchant.	*
517	Wakefield, Cyrus,	26	Retired.	*
517	Wakefield, George L.	25	Student.	*
539	Hawkes, Lyman,	58	Rattan worker.	*
539	Philbrook, D. Herbert,	28	Woodworker.	*
540	Hawkes, Augustus A.	58	Retired.	*
543	Brigham, Wm. H. B.	57	Musician.	*

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555	Wooldridge, Thomas,	32	Tailor.	*
555	Alexander, John F.	63	Crossing tender.	*
558	Hawkes, George L.	76	Retired.	*
559	Burdett, John B.	44	Shoemaker.	*
564	Bachelor, William H.	59	Crossing tender.	*
564	Porter, Frank T.	45	Laundryman.	*
570	Sweetser, Albert G.	83	Shoe mfr.	*
570	Trumbull, Daniel,	31	Brakeman.	*
578	Sweetser, Edward N.	50	Crossing tender.	*
593	Sheldon, Otis E.	57	Book-keeper.	*
593	Clinkard, Clarence,	22	Clerk.	Railroad st.
594	Tupper, Arthur,	28	Blacksmith.	*
594	Hanwright, Frank P.		Rattan worker.	*
600	Edgett, Alfred,	36	Carpenter.	*
601	Walton, Aldis,	69	Horse dealer.	*
602	Emmons, Freeman,	52	Lawyer.	*
602	Richardson, Elmer C.	30	Clerk.	*
604	Sheldon, George O.	30	Clerk.	*
605	Richardson, Henry,	52	Watchman.	*
607	Bartlett, N. E.	32	Salesman.	*
608	Hurlburt, Joseph M.	26	Painter.	*
608	Lunt, Frank W.	42	Carpenter.	*
608	Lunt, Francis,	75	Retired.	*
608	Upton, Charles,	25	Laborer.	Walnut st.
609	Brown, O. Walter,	43	Conductor.	*
611	Eaton, Joseph G.	60	Piano-maker.	*
613	Hudson, Albert J.	63	Salesman.	*
615	Atwood, Frank H.	40	Merchant.	*
615	Hall, Augustus H.	34	Salesman.	*
617	Heath, Elroy N.	45	Treasurer.	*
618	Alden, Edmund A.	49	Overseer.	*
619	Grover, Elliot M.	46	Claim agent.	*
621	Barker, Edward,	66	Glass maker.	*
621	Barker, Edward, Jr.	23	Clerk.	*
623	Howes, William,	42	Book-keeper.	*
623	Weld, Arthur B.	33	Station agent.	*
625	Park, Edward W.	63	Piano-maker.	*
627	Round, John J.	26	Clerk.	*
627	Round, Julius S.	54	Merchant.	*
631	Berritt, William M.	33	Machinist.	*
631	Berritt, Frank,	24	Machinist.	Saugus.
633	Balfour, William J.	27	Book-keeper.	*
633	Balch, Frank M.	46	Salesman.	*

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MAIN ST., Cont'd.				
637	Hodgkins, Fitz,	53	Piano-maker.	*
	Garniss, Joseph,	22	Clerk.	*
	Garniss, Wesley,	21	Clerk.	*
	Daniel, John H.	42	Conductor.	Portland.
	Clements, George,	31	Rattan worker.	Fitch ct.
	Howes, George N.	34	Salesman.	*
	O'Rourke, Michael,	36	Reed worker.	*
	O'Rourke, Phillip,	32	Reed worker.	Chelsea.
MAPLE STREET.				
3	Goodwin, Michael E.	49	Carpenter.	*
3	Goodwin, Henry M.	22	Clerk.	*
4	Reagan, John J.	46	Laborer.	*
4	Crean, John J.	49	Laborer.	*
5	Florence, Alfred J.	38	Stone mason.	*
5	Muse, Arthur,	28	Rattan worker.	Bartley st.
6	Dillon, Thomas,	61	Tinsmith.	*
6	Dillon, George H.	22	Tinsmith.	*
6	Connelly, Peter,	22	Laborer.	Lynn.
MECHANIC STREET.				
3	Cavanaugh, Jas. W.	26	Teamster.	*
6	Hopkinson, William A.	28	Teamster.	*
9	Hanscom, Charles,	33	Teamster.	*
9	Boyce, Charles A.	29	Messenger.	Chelsea.
9	Boyce, Frank D.	27	Messenger.	Chelsea.
11	Kelley, George M.	37	Blacksmith.	*
11	Larter, Luke,	22	Buffer.	*
12	Bishop, Nelson,	22	Rattan worker.	*
12	Palmer, Thomas,	28	Teamster.	*
12	Card, Joseph,	46	Moulder.	*
12	Muse, Felix Y.	31	Hostler.	Emerson st.
26	Perham, Herbert A.	34	Hackman.	*
26	Murphy, Timothy,	32	Moulder.	Taunton.
26	Muse, Joseph. 4th,	24	Teamster.	*
	Ames, John C.	62	Bricklayer.	*
	Darling, Laurio D.	40	Carpenter.	*
MELVIN STREET.				
2	Keady, Michael,	53	Laborer.	*
2	Keady, Patrick J.	21	Chair-maker.	*
2	Donohue, Martin,	54	Canvasser.	*

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2	Donohue, Matthew,	24	Laborer.	*
2	Card, Styles,	34	Rattan worker.	*
2	Keady, Michael, Jr.	22	Laborer.	*
4	White, John W.	33	Laborer.	*
5	Horgan, Michael,	53	Rattan worker.	*
5	Connell, Peter,	25	Electrician.	*
5	Connell, John Jos.	27	Conductor.	*
5	Connell, Henry P.	23	Conductor.	*
6	Hickey, Thomas P.	31	Mason.	*
7	Drugan, John E.	26	Shoemaker.	*
7	Regan, Timothy,	57	Rattan worker.	*
9	Coffey, John,	34	Rattan worker.	*
9	Brown, Thomas G.	31	Fireman.	*
10	Drugan, Dennis,	27	Laborer.	*
10	Drugan, John,	59	Laborer.	*
10	Moran, George W.	35	Printer.	*
10	Moran, John,	70	Shoemaker.	*
11	Bolton, Richard,	32	Teamster.	Lowell st.
11	Bolton, William,	39	Laborer.	Lowell st.
13	Creagh, John.	59	Rattan worker.	*
17	Graham, William,	26	Rattan worker.	*
17	Campbell, Charles,	23	Laborer.	*
20	O'Connor, Patrick, Jr.	31	Painter.	*
22	O'Connor, John J.	36	Salesman.	*
35	Casey, John F.	45	Upholsterer.	*
37	Brown, Thomas J.	30	Fireman.	Clinton.
38	Downey, Patrick,	23	Rattan worker.	*
43	Sullivan, Dennis,	30	Rattan worker.	*
43	Sullivan, John H.	36	Rattan worker.	*
44	Kenney, Patrick,	64	Foreman.	*
44	Foley, Patrick J.	34	Rattan worker.	*
44	Foley, Michael,	54	Rattan worker.	*
45	Harrington, John,	23	Laborer.	*
45	Harrington, Humphrey,	53	Rattan worker.	*
47	McAmery, Michael,	42	Shoemaker.	*
48	Coughlin, James,	34	Rattan worker.	*
50	Maloney, Patrick,	39	Rattan worker.	*
53	McTague, James,	43	Rattan worker.	*
54	Lally, Thomas,	53	Rattan worker.	*
54	Lally, Thomas J.	25	Rattan worker.	*
54	Maloney, John,	33	Laborer.	Hart st.
54	Lally, William,	21	Rattan worker.	*
56	McTague, Robert J.	45	Rattan worker.	*

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MELVIN ST., Con.				
56	McTague, Francis J.	32	Rattan worker.	*
57	Cronan, James J.	30	Coat maker.	*
57	Keefe, James,	30	Rattan worker.	*
58	Coleman, Patrick,	55	Shipper.	*
58	Coleman, Patrick B.	27	Rattan worker.	*
60	Kenney, Henry M.	41	Polisher.	*
60	Connell, Michael,	33	Watchman.	Chelsea.
61	Qualters, Michael,	47	Laborer.	*
61	Qualters, John F.	23	Laborer.	*
65	Gahagan, John,	40	Laborer.	*
66	Godfrey, George,	58	Junk dealer.	*
66	Godfrey, George, Jr.	20	Rattan worker.	*
67	Burns, Patrick,	27	Plasterer.	*
	McCarty, Michael, Jr.	29	Laborer.	*
	Mullen, Dennis,	36	Laborer.	*
	Campbell, Hiram,	60	Laborer.	*
	Cronan, James J.	29	Coat maker.	Turnbull ave.
	O'Connor, Michael,	70	Retired.	Lake st.
	Sullivan, Timothy,	23	Rattan worker.	Herbert st.
MIDDLESEX STREET.				
	Maguire, Richard,	30	Brakeman.	*
	Waterman, Charles F.	40	Laborer.	Melrose.
MORRISON ROAD.				
	Richardson, Geo. McK.	35	Book-keeper.	*
	Shepard, William P.	32	Clerk.	*
MORRISON AVE.				
	Merrill, Charles S.	46	Painter.	*
	Peabody, Silas,	77	Farmer.	*
MONTROSE AVENUE.				
	O'Donnell, John,	39	Farmer.	*
	Parker, William D.	72	Retired.	*
MT. PLEASANT AVE.				
(Off Nahant St.)				
	Bent, Charles A.	48	Carpenter.	*
	McDonald, Andrew,	49	Carpenter.	*
	Grant, Daniel R.	72	Retired.	*
	Thompson, George A.	35	Engineer.	*

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MURRAY STREET.				
5	Penniman, Edgar,	41	Clerk.	*
7	Fisher, Everett A.	50	Station agent.	*
11	Hickey, Thomas,	43	Postmaster.	*
15	Warren, John B.	58	Piano-maker.	*
17	Mayo, Nathan D.	42	Provision d'lr.	*
19	Roach, Vernon,	21	Dentist.	Maryland.
19	Cook, Atwell P.	34	Shoemaker.	Chestnut st.
19	Doe, Charles H.	41	Tel. operator.	Chestnut st.
21	McTague, Michael J.	43	Rattan worker.	*
21	Mullen, John,	35	Laborer.	Avon st.
NAHANT STREET.				
9	Strong, William C.	37	Clerk.	*
11	Pearson, Hiram D.	29	Salesman.	*
12	Ricker, William,	78	Show case mfr.	*
14	Strong, William G.	71	Agent.	*
14	Buckley, James E.	50	Crossing tender.	*
16	Wooldridge, James,	37	Shoemaker.	*
17	Kirk, James,	52	Shoemaker.	*
19	Snow, William,	26	Machinist.	*
22	Hosmer, Cyrus,	64	Retired.	*
23	Stuart, George L.	32	Steam fitter.	Chestnut st.
25	Eaton, Frank W.	41	Insurance agent.	*
28	Healey, James A.	50	Toy mfr.	*
31	Garside, William,	59	Rattan worker.	*
32	Tyzzer, William H.	39	Mechanic.	*
33	Dodge, William J.	42	Laborer.	*
35	Oliver, Harry E.	33	Driver.	*
36	Cook, William W.	46	Machinist.	Boston.
44	Harper, Walter.	23	Student.	*
46	Lane, Michael T.	45	Varnisher.	*
47	Knowles, Seth,	42	Laborer.	*
48	Maloney, Richard,	37	Laborer.	*
49	Ogg, William,	55	Basket maker.	*
49	Dugan, Stephen,	42	Painter.	*
49	Gibbons, Arthur,	29	Reed worker.	*
54	Whitehead, Jeremiah,	69	Shoemaker.	*
61	Harper, Harry E.	31	Reed worker.	*
73	Cassidy, Henry L.	41	Merchant.	*
75	Morgan, Henry J.	31	Mason.	*
81	Dignan, Patrick,	35	Rattan worker.	*
85	Hopkins, John,	26	Rattan worker.	*

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NAHANT ST., Con.				
87	McGrath, Thomas,	36	Rattan worker.	*
93	Hennessey, Patrick,	39	Laborer.	*
95	Sheehy, John,	24	Polisher.	*
105	Landers, John,	48	Laborer.	*
135	Crosby, John,	52	Fireman.	*
146	Ward, Windsor M.	64	Farmer.	*
146	Ward, William L.	32	Musician.	*
152	Dean, Charles A.	42	Reed worker.	*
257	Oliver, Chester H.	30	Shoemaker.	*
280	Flint, Frank E.	38	Shoemaker.	Wave ave.
360	Barthold, Conrad,	33	Rubber worker.	*
	Classen, Charles E.	39	Pedler.	*
	Hooper, Lawrence P.	52	Farmer.	*
	Marsden, William,	26	Laborer.	*
	Oliver, William,	79	Shoemaker.	*
	Oliver, Henry N.	49	Farmer.	*
	Wanamake, H. Allen,	27	Piano-maker.	*
	Wanamake, William M.	66	Farmer.	*
	Wanamake, Stephen J.	38	Blacksmith.	*
	Wanamake, Charles O	31	Carpenter.	*
	Mellettt, William,	61	Reed worker.	*
	Hunt, James G.	34	Fish dealer.	Sweetser st.
	Anderson, Fred'k F.		Varnisher.	*
NELLY STREET.				
3	Greany, Patrick,	61	Laborer.	*
3	Greany, Timothy,	23	Brass finisher.	*
5	Johnson, French,	42	Laborer.	*
6	Creedon, Daniel,	41	Blacksmith.	*
6	Jack, Peter,	33	Shipper.	*
NEWHALL COURT.				
2	Gilligan, Michael,	36	Engineer.	*
6	Newland, William J.	28	Baker.	Waltham.
12	Ryan, Richard J.	43	Chair maker.	*
NEW SALEM STREET.				
	Stewart, Alexander,	47	Rattan worker.	*
	White, John I.	32	Laborer.	*

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	NICHOLS STREET.			
5	Cappelle, William C.	64	Asst. Adj.-Gen.	*
	Stearns, Clinton H.	37	Salesman.	*
	Swain, Edwin C.	63	Wood moulder.	*
	Swain, Fred A.	26	Book-keeper.	*
	Swain, Berton S.	23	Scenic painter.	*
	OAK STREET.			
1	Shaw, Nathan M.	30	Printer.	*
	Cutter, Amos F.	41	Rubber worker.	*
	Hines, Nathaniel,	40	Painter.	*
	Ward, Thomas M.	43	Expressman.	*
	Hall, William C.	24	Farmer.	*
	Hall Charles D.	36	Teamster.	*
	Hines, Campbell D.	46	Carpenter.	*
	Evans, Frank H.	21		*
	Craig, Charles W.	29	Painter.	*
	Bawn, Samuel,	43	Farmer.	*
	OTIS STREET.			
12	Southworth, Ezra M.	48	Real estate.	*
12	Southworth, Palmer H.	39	Insurance agent.	*
13	Collins, George G.	52	Printer.	Albion st.
14	Tay, William H.	41	Book-keeper.	*
16	Cutter, Fred B.	26	Salesman.	*
16	Cutter, William A.	49	Grocer.	*
20	Casey, John,	55	Rattan worker.	*
23	Millerick, James,	56	Laborer.	*
23	Millerick, Thomas,	26	Laborer.	*
23	Millerick, Patrick F.	24	Rattan worker.	*
23	Millerick, James, Jr.	22	Shipper.	*
26	Barrett, Richard,	51	Laborer.	*
26	Crowley, William, 2d,	28	Weaver.	*
26	Doyle, John,	63	Laborer.	*
26	Hurtin, Patrick,	33	Rattan worker.	*
	Blenkhorn, Henry,	37	Plumber.	Crescent st.
	ORCHARD STREET.			
3	Eager, George B.	44	Moulder.	*
3	Blanchard, Charles A.	34	Motorman.	*
5	Smith, Horatio A.	36	Carpenter.	*
7	Foster, Byron W.	35	Engineer.	*

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	PARK AVENUE.			
	Harrington, George W.	41	Manufacturer.	*
	Tyler, Wilfred B.	28	Clerk.	*
	Tyler, William N.	63	Clerk.	*
	Wales, George H.	27	Salesman.	*
	Smith, James P., Jr.	29	Salesman.	*
	Smith, Mortimer,	25	Book-keeper.	*
	Harris, Edward,	38	Merchant.	*
	Smith, George B.	42	Salesman.	*
	Lent, Frank T.	43	Architect.	Boston.
	Twiggs, Frank J.	39	Dentist.	Melrose.
	Mulliken, Edward A.	35	Broker.	*
	Spalding, William,	60	Teller.	Summit ave.
	PARK STREET.			
7	Taber, Charles A. M.	74	Retired.	*
8	Carter, James H.	65	Retired.	*
13	Stevens, Merritt,	46	Carpenter.	*
14	Dearborn, Stanley B.	51	Printer.	*
15	Cutler, Otis M.	29	Clerk.	*
16	Pinkham, Henry P.	47	Clothing cutter.	*
16	Pinkham, Henry A.	24	Clerk.	*
17	Buzzell, Ruel P.	51	Merchant.	*
17	Buzzell, Frank,	20	Student.	*
19	Lindsey, Charles C.	48	Engineer.	*
20	Ventress, Alphonzo W.	49	Shoemaker.	*
21	Mansfield, Leroy S.	55	Rattan worker.	*
21	Emerson, Orra E.	22	Expressman.	Merrimac, Mass.
21	Cartwright, Joseph,	80	Tinsmith.	*
23	Wheeler, Philip M.	49	Salesman.	*
23	Wheeler, Arthur C.	22	Book-keeper.	*
23	Abbott, Charles F.	22	Cutter.	*
24	Wheeler, Frank W.	20	Student.	*
24	Shaw, George P. S.	47	Shoemaker.	Haverhill.
25	Harlow, Charles L.	33	Racquet strin'gr.	*
26	Cook, John P.	41	Piano-maker.	*
27	Anderson, Andrew G.	49	Foreman.	*
27	Anderson, Arthur O.	20	Clerk.	*
28	Abbott, Arthur E.	35	Clerk.	*
28	Johnson, Otto,	31	Painter.	*
30	Eaton, Noah M.	65	Watchman.	*
30	Eaton, Walter H.	29	Clerk.	*
30	Eaton, Edward E.	22	Heeler.	*
34	Frost, Charles N.	41	Electrician.	*

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PEARL STREET.				
6	Cheney, George H.	49	Machinist.	*
7	Haskell, Henry L.	60	Agent.	*
7	Haskell, Harry,	20	Shoe trimmer.	*
9	Daniel, William B.	46	Machinist.	*
10	Perkins, Charles A.	48	Carpenter.	*
10	Perkins, Harland A.	21	Architect.	*
11	Flanders, Wilbur H.	36	Shoemaker.	*
14	Daland, Everett G.	37	Merchant.	*
16	Paine, J. Thomas,	45	Merchant.	*
16	Haskell, John A.	25	Clerk.	*
17	Bridge, Charles C.	65	Painter.	*
17	Blythe, Francis,	51	Reed worker.	*
17	Butler, Henry E.	28	Salesman.	*
18	McDonald, Eugene P.	29	Salesman.	*
18	McDonald, Dennis J.	22	Crossing tender.	*
19	Sweetser, L. Wallace,	21	Clerk.	*
19	Sweetser, Alfred,	49	Barber.	*
19	Jones, Robert W.		Ins. agent.	Chelsea.
21	Parker, Daniel H.	41	Shoemaker.	*
23	Eaton, George W.	36	Grocer.	*
26	Sweetser, George H.	67	Farmer.	*
27	Buxton, Frank,	29	Shoemaker.	Lowell st.
27	Simmons, Louis,	31	Cutter.	*
29	Burrill, Frank H.	38	Printer.	*
30	Rhoades, Frank M.	41	Hostler.	*
30	Kingman, William W.	66	Shoemaker.	*
PERHAM STREET.				
	Shanahan, Thomas F.	28	Reed worker.	*
	Williams, Frank C.	37	Electrician.	*
	Sullivan, Michael,	25	Mason.	Newhall ct.
	McCleary, John,	27	Rubber worker.	*
	Jordan, Hubbard E.		Rattan worker.	Newhall ct.
	Hawkes, Walter,	23	Rattan worker.	*
	Hawkes, Embert,	28	Wood worker.	*
PINE STREET.				
	Persons, Edward A.	38	Carpenter.	*

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PLEASANT STREET.				
4	Peterson, Gustavus,	40	Cabinet maker.	*
4	McIntosh, William,	30	Teamster.	*
4	Stewart, Alexander, Jr.	23	Machinist.	*
4	Holmberg, Charles,	31	Carpenter.	*
6	Anderson, Otto,	44	Rattan worker.	*
9	Brewer, John P.	37	Letter carrier.	*
10	Morgan, John,	64	Laborer.	*
10	Stohl, Carl,	45	Rattan worker.	*
10	Le Fave, David,	46	Mason.	*
11	Driver, James,	39	Architect.	*
14	Curran, Patrick,	25	Rattan worker.	*
14	Curran, John,	23	Laborer.	*
14	Reddington, Richard,	22	Conductor.	*
14	Reddington, Patrick,	31	Winder.	*
15	Waterman, Otis V.	70	Conveyancer.	*
17	Winship, Charles N.	34	Manufacturer.	*
20	Putney, Stillman J.	55	Shoe dealer.	*
24	Bisbee, Ulysses G.	31	Hostler.	*
24	Peterson, Johannes,	53	Rattan worker.	Mechanic st.
28	Harrington, Charles T.	61	Moulder.	*
28	Pope, H. Warren,	54	Machinist.	*
30	Lufkin, Stephen W.	54	Foreman.	*
30	Abbott, Clarence T.	33	Druggist.	*
31	Russell, George W.	39	Foreman.	Park st.
35	Leathers, Albert N.	55	Reed worker.	*
35	Tredinnick, John,	34	Tailor.	*
37	Anderson, August,	29	Rattan worker.	*
38	Phipps, Irvin E.	38	Salesman.	*
42	Henfield, Joseph S.	30	Motorman.	*
42	Nickerson, Solomon H.	68	Salesman.	*
44	Bunker, Fred E.	33	Reed worker.	*
46	Newhall, William J.	66	Stockfitter.	*
46	Noyes, Thomas E.	25	Shoemaker.	Crescent st.
47	Hill, Melvin J.	54	Teacher.	*
48	Walton, Charles E.	37	Shoe manuf'r.	*
50	Walton, Edward H.	74	Shoe manuf'r.	*
50	Mansfield, William J.	52	Clerk.	*
51	Bridger, William J.	54	Shoemaker.	*
52	Anderson, August B.	30	Framer.	*
52	Carlson, Emil,	25	Rattan worker.	*
53	Robbins, Dexter H.	51	Shoe cutter.	*
54	Boardman, Melvin W.	36	Book-keeper.	*

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56	Boardman, Arthur H.	29	Book-keeper.	*
57	Lawton, Herbert L. B.	29	Book-keeper.	*
62	Boardman, Moses P.	61	Shoe-cutter.	*
63	Perkins, William K.	72	Mason.	*
71	Town, Charles H.	43	Milkman.	*
71	Rowell, George S.	81	Gardener.	*
71	Rowell, Jesse S.	36	Clerk.	*
72	Thayer, Harry I.	28	Salesman.	*
72	Patterson, Ralph J.	36	Engineer.	*
73	Griffiths, John S.	36	Shoe cutter.	*
76	Draper, Rufus F.	60	Janitor.	*
76	Draper, Rufus F., Jr.	32	Clerk.	*
76	Dennison, William S.	28	Decorator.	*
86	Winklin, Edward,	21	Laborer.	*
86	Gardner, Charles A.	39	Florist.	*
87	Preston, William P.	44	Book-keeper.	*
90	Fairbanks, John B.	31	Letter-carrier.	*
	Cheever, Charles H.	56	Merchant.	*
	Cheever, Charles W.	31	Motorman.	*
129	Floyd, Isaac G.	64	Farmer.	*
129	Floyd, George G.	51	Salesman.	*
129	Wheeler, Philip C.	79	Retired.	*
130	Daland, George A.	71	Retired.	*
132	Griffin, William L.	44	Stable keeper.	*
138	Walton, S. Leman,	56	Poultry raiser.	*
139	Dulong, Andrew,	26	Rattan worker.	*
148	Peddy, Charles R.	54	Carpenter.	*
150	Goldsmith, Asa F.	72	Laborer.	*
158	Packard, William E.	23	Gyp. Moth Com.	Chelsea.
	Burnham, Marcellus,	77	Salesman.	*
POPE STREET.				
	Cloudman, Charles,	61	Farmer.	*
PROSPECT STREET.				
20	Oakes, William E.	44	Engineer.	*
24	Atwell, William H.	73	Retired.	*
24	Wright, William F.	26	Engineer.	*
26	McCausland, Wm. H.	67	Retired.	*
61	Cowdrey, Waldo E.	58	Book-keeper.	*
71	Ryland, R. Herbert,	54	Book-keeper.	*
71	Ryland, Frank J.	22	Clerk.	*
73	Ryland, Stratford J.	35	Book-keeper.	*

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PROSPECT ST., Con.				
75	Maloney, John A.	46	Detective.	*
98	Thompson, George M.	46	Civil Engineer.	*
107	Tyler, Charles M.	31	Shipper.	*
107	Tyler, George L.	62	Barber.	*
107	Tyler, Percy G.	23	Shoemaker.	*
112	Kent, William D.	70	Retired.	*
117	Taylor, Henry A.	31	Teamster.	*
117	Rea, Eben E.	29	Engraver.	*
124	Oliver, Joseph P.	24	Laborer.	Reading.
167	McFadden, William E.	32	Clerk.	*
	Brown, Arthur M.	32	Salesman.	*
	Doucette, Jeffrey B.	34	Farmer.	*
	Bowditch, Edward G.	22	Carpenter.	Elm sq.
RAILROAD STREET.				
	Watts, John,	35	Laborer.	*
89	Magarian, George,	24	Shoemaker.	Maine.
92	Sing, Lee,	46	Laundryman.	*
98	Bowker, Percy J.	29	Clerk.	*
98	Walton, J. C. W.	78	Merchant.	*
100	Eaton, Everett W.	62	Grocer.	*
102	Winship, Thomas,	68	Cashier.	*
106	Waterhouse, George H.	36	Salesman.	Malden.
106	Waterhouse, John H.	32	Milk dealer.	Malden.
133	Muse, William J.	27	Iceman.	*
133	Muse, James R.	21	Iceman.	*
180	Burbine, John,	29	Laborer.	*
191	Rogers, Allie D.	32	Laborer.	*
193	Rogers, Ernest C.	22	Laborer.	*
195	Anderson, John, 2d,		Rattan worker.	*
204	Lavery, Robert A.	55	Agent.	*
205	Lenners, Eugene,	33	Boot-maker.	*
207	McGlory, John.	41	Moulder.	*
207	Thompson, Alex. N.	42	Bricklayer.	Somerville.
215	McAuliffe, Timothy,	64	Crossing tender.	*
215	McAuliffe, Timothy, Jr.	30	Piano finisher.	*
221	Mitts, Charles L.	61	Moulder.	*
232	Gowing, Samuel H.	50	Provision dealer.	*
232	Gowing, Louis P.	22	Salesman.	*
237	McNelly, John.	28	Laborer.	*
249	Philbrick, Alvin S.	52	Iceman.	*
249	Cooper, Ashley E.	29	Foreman.	*

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249	Cooper, Reuben L.	68	Superintendent.	*
	Berry, Shepard.	30	Teamster.	*
	Gray, William H.	39	Laborer.	*
	Gray, James,	33	Peddler.	Mechanic st.
RICHARDSON ST.				
8	Swantee, Victor,	27	Painter.	*
8	Swantee, Frank,	30	Framer.	*
8	Anderson, Otto, 2d,	22	Painter.	*
8	Neilson, Carl,	27	Shipper.	*
8	Peterson, John,	25	Rattan worker.	*
8	Anderson, Alfred,	24	Rattan worker.	*
8	Johnson, Neils,	23	Rattan worker.	*
10	Magee, Andrew,	41	Teamster.	*
18	Boyd, Robert,	26	Rattan worker.	*
20	Burns, James,	26	Mason.	*
21	McIntire, Frank,	28	Brass worker.	*
24	Ardill, George M.	27	Rattan worker.	*
26	McFadden, James A.	35	Policeman.	*
28	Grady, John,	30	Carpenter.	*
32	White, Sylvine,	31	Rattan worker.	*
32	White, Jeffrey,	27	Rattan worker.	*
32	Malonson, Philip,	35	Fireman.	*
34	Nelson, Emil,	30	Rattan worker.	*
34	Nelson, Emil C.	22	Winder.	*
37	Welch, Thos. John,	37	Clerk.	*
38	Horgan, Dennis,	37	Salesman.	*
38	Kirk, Fred J.	22	Rattan worker.	*
40	Murphy, Willie J.	27	Clerk.	*
40	Ronan, John T.	29	Conductor.	*
40	Ronan, J. Frederick,	22	Piano-maker.	*
40	Ronan, Arthur O.	20	Laborer.	*
40	Reardon, Michael,	37	Meat cutter.	Spaulding st.
41	McMahan, Thomas,	57	Laborer.	*
43	Welch, Patrick,	58	Rattan worker.	*
46	Lofstrom, Hjalmar,	27	Painter.	Gould st.
47	Pennell, Sumner,	86	Retired.	*
48	Cronan, James,	53	Rattan worker.	*
48	Cronan, Jeremiah J.	24	Baker.	*
52	Ehrnsman, Otto,	49	Rattan worker.	*
54	Burns, Lawrence,	36	Rattan worker.	*
54	Welch, Thos. Jos.	59	Shoemaker.	*
57	Kelly, Edward B.	35	Grocer.	*

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	RICHARDSON ST., Con.			
57	Kelly, John,	73	Shoemaker.	*
57	Kelly, Patrick J.	35	Grocer.	*
57	Kelly, William J.	26	Salesman.	*
58	O'Connell, Jeremiah,	58	Rattan worker.	*
59	Dillon, John,	62	Laborer.	*
59	Dillon, John F.	22	Laborer.	*
60	Linder, John,	32	Laborer.	*
60	Paon, Thomas I.	33	Rattan worker.	*
63	Reid, Henry,	32	Rubber worker.	*
64	Brown, Charles W.	33	Moulder.	Pleasant st.
64	Brown, Charles,	32	Moulder.	Pleasant st.
	Ardill, Timothy J.	22	Student.	*
	Jacques, John,	30	Rattan worker.	*
	RICHARDSON AVE.			
10	Boit, James H.	73	Retired.	*
12	Day, James A.	48	Salesman.	*
16	Nye, Edward B.	49	Piano tuner.	*
18	Wheeler, George A.	47	Piano-maker.	*
20	Cate, Arthur W.	43	Tailor.	*
24	Doyle, Llewellyn F.	31	Shipper.	*
26	Reid, George W.	25	Salesman.	*
26	Giles, William D.	55	Piano-maker.	*
	Perley, John M.	53	Coal dealer.	*
	Waterman, Charles O.	37	Salesman.	Pleasant st.
	Nichols, Joseph T.	61	Retired.	*
	Emerson, Walter A.		Foreman.	Emerson st.
	Emerson, W. Raymond,	22	Clerk.	Emerson st.
	ROCKLAND STREET.			
2	Smith, Joseph. 2d,	51	Laborer.	*
2	Roach, John,	41	Laborer.	*
7	O'Connell, Charles,	41	Rattan worker.	*
8	Walsh, John,	39	Laborer.	*
8	Hennessy, William,	32	Laborer.	*
	Andrew, Alex,	29	Teamster.	*
	Mayers, William H.	33	Moulder.	*
	Malonsen, Monday,	24	Rattan worker.	*
	SALEM STREET.			
1	Hunt, Charles J.	27	Provision d'ler.	*
1	Hunt. Lafayette F.	34	Provision d'ler.	*

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4	Hollander, Joseph,	36	Rattan worker.	*
4	Whalen, Thomas,	32	Rattan worker.	*
4	Woodis, Hiram,	45	Reed worker.	*
4	Seaward, Charles J. E.	25	Wood worker.	*
4	Hart, William W.	30	Carpenter.	Elm sq.
7	Wilkins, Edward A.	31	Editor.	Main st.
8	Campbell, James,	25	Teamster.	*
8	Stewart, Thomas,	39	Engineer.	*
9	Evans, Harvey B.	43	Shoe manuf'r.	*
11	Nichols, Elmore,	41	Packer.	*
12	Smith, Albert W.	35	Painter.	*
12	Smith, George H., 2d,	36	Paper hanger.	*
15	Howard, Robert N.	59	Carpenter.	*
16	Cann, George D.	37	Carpenter.	*
16	Chadbourne, Frank,	38	Shoemaker.	*
19	Evans, Charles A.	60	Mason.	*
20	Young, Fred W.	36	Publisher.	*
20	Buckley, Edward,	30	Upholsterer.	*
21	Poole, Franklin,	89	Retired.	*
23	Brockbank, Harvey G.	28	Shoemaker.	*
24	Jones, Rollin C.	76	Book-keeper.	*
24	Parker, Frank E.	45	Chair maker.	*
26	Jordan, Frank B.	41	Rattan worker.	*
27	Guillow, Nicola M.	37	Foreman.	*
27	Rober, William B.		Clerk.	*
27	Florell, Henry,	27	Reed worker.	Philadelphia.
28	Gale, Benjamin F.	55	Salesman.	*
29	Swain, Samuel O.	69	Retired.	*
30	Beane, Newell W.	39	Manager.	*
33	Stoddard, Frank E.	29	Shoemaker.	*
34	Mansfield, William O.	57	Shipper.	*
38	Johnson, August,	36	Rattan worker.	Chicago.
38	Anderson, Frank,	31	Stableman.	Pennsylvania.
41	Pratt, George E.	37	Cutter.	*
41	Sweetser, Herbert M.	36	Painter.	W. Water st.
43	Moulton, William J.	56	Mason.	*
44	Porter, Harry T.	50	Upholsterer.	*
44	Turnbull, Alexander,	75	Carpenter.	*
60	Loughlin, Jerry F.	25	Plumber.	*
60	Loughlin, John,	56	Laborer.	*
60	Loughlin, Thomas,	23	Plumber.	*
62	Burdett, John K.	70	Shoemaker.	*
66	Stoddard, Fred B.	26	Shoe cutter.	*

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	SALEM ST., Cont'd.			
66	Stoddard, Herbert A.	23	Cabinet maker.	*
67	Dunn, Charles H. R.	40	Farmer.	*
68	Butman, George W.	52	Gardener.	*
99	Johnson, Alouzo L.	41	Shoemaker.	*
99	Goldsmith, Henry L.	60	Farmer.	*
108	Burnham, Wendall P.	46	Mason.	*
108	Burnham, Arthur W.	22	Book-keeper.	*
112	Hunt, Arthur H.	34	Fish dealer.	*
112	Hunt, Albert W.	60	Veterinary.	*
122	Smith, John W.	39	Real estate.	*
128	Mears, George E.	42	Teamster.	*
128	Parker, Jacob,	78	Shoemaker.	*
129	Houston, William,	63	Foreman.	*
139	Houston, Donald M.	36	Foreman.	*
163	Fay, Henry,	42	Shoemaker.	*
163	Fay, Patrick,	71	Shoemaker.	*
167	Burdett, Sylvester,	53	Moulder.	*
167	Gardner, William A.	25	Book-keeper.	*
181	Kelso, James W.	53	Boiler maker.	*
183	Burdett, Henry T.	26	Shoemaker.	*
187	Robertson, James,	40	Machinist.	*
196	Dager, James W.	44	Shoemaker.	*
196	Dager, Thomas,	70	Shoemaker.	*
198	Oliver, George I.	38	Grocer.	*
199	Gott, Joseph R.	59	Oyster dealer.	*
199	Gott, Herbert R. J.	22	Farmer.	*
202	Rommel, Jacob,	47	Laborer.	*
206	Orr, John L.	36	Wood worker.	*
212	Knight, Fred L.	31	Cutter.	*
212	Reid, John G.	27	Provision d'ler.	*
214	Blanchard, John O.	32	Clerk.	*
227	Bishop, Whitfield,	24	Gyp. mth. h'ter.	*
228	Blanchard, Abner N.	78	Farmer.	*
228	Blanchard, George A.	36	Clerk.	*
229	Fowler, J. David,	50	Teamster.	*
229	Harding, Wilbur L.	30	Wood worker.	*
233	Reid, James R.	45	Carpenter.	*
235	Talbot, Charles,	57	Carpenter.	*
235	Talbot, Henry W.	35	Carpenter.	*
237	Tweed, Charles O.	53	Clerk.	*
237	Gould, William H.	68	Shoemaker.	*
242	Pond, C. Frank,	43	Artist.	*

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253	Bishop, John C.	48	Farmer.	*
258	Burdett, J. Woodward,	69	Shoemaker.	*
260	Smith, Merritt J.	29	Milkman.	Lynnfield.
268	Black, Austin,	53	Farmer.	*
271	Stowell, George H.	43	Farmer. .	*
290	Drury, Charles D.	56	Carpenter.	*
290	Townsend, William,	24	Farmer.	Maine.
321	Oliver, George W.	60	Station agent.	*
323	Walton, George K.	55	Blacksmith.	*
	Gould, Thomas,	54	Shoemaker.	*
	Hunt, Henry E.	49	Farmer.	*
	Randall, Charles E.	50	Farmer.	*
	Appleton, E. Andrew,	30	Clerk.	*
	Libby, Tobias,	57	Teamster.	*
	Hadley, Darius,	51	Teacher.	*
	Hadley, Everett H.	26	Lawyer.	*
	Karcher, Theodore F.	47	Messenger.	*
	Sturtevant, Walter F.	27	Evangelist.	*
	Noonan, Daniel.	31	Teamster.	*
	Graham, Alexander,	38	Architect.	*
	Millar, John A.	31	Foreman.	*
	Robins, Charles,	23	Farmer.	Nova Scotia.
	Golden, James H.	24	Farmer.	Chelsea.
SPAULDING STREET.				
4	Perham, Andrew J.	60	Hackman.	*
4	Phillips, Joseph N.	52	Driver.	*
4	Jackson, Robert W.	29	Iceman.	*
6	Hall, T. Leslie,	37	Framer.	*
10	Wiley, Edward A.	44	Conductor.	*
11	Flanders, Philip J.	35	Ice dealer.	*
14	Murray, John A.	46	Mason.	*
14	Murray, Peter,	29	Piano-maker.	*
14	Murray, William H.	30	Laborer.	*
	Friburg, Charles,	35	Rattan worker.	*
SPRING STREET.				
4	Perkins, William A.	25	Shoemaker.	*
4	Perkins, Zenas,	77	Carpenter.	*
5	Doucette, Peter,	36	Stone mason.	*
6	Murray, John,	50	Rattan worker.	*
9	Brennan, Dennis,	33	Laborer.	*

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	SPRING ST., Cont'd.			
12	Scanlon, William.	33	Laborer.	*
12	Welch, Thomas C.	41	Stone mason.	*
	Holsten, Frank W.	20	Stenographer.	*
	STEADMAN STREET.			
	Nott, George W.	24	Clerk.	*
	Nott, Henry D.	26	Clerk.	*
	Nott, Richard T.	28	Clerk.	*
	Nott, Cecil K.	21	Student.	*
	Purdy, James E.	39	Photographer.	*
	Kimball, Clarence P.	23	Clerk.	*
	Taylor, Edward H.	30	Freight agt.	Boston.
	SUMMER STREET.			
8	Mansfield, Albert A.	55	Coal dealer.	*
8	Mansfield, Stanley A.	24	Salesman.	*
9	Howard, George E.	53	Clerk.	*
10	Parsons, William A.	70	Moulder.	*
10	Radford, Robert H.	30	Electrician.	Vernon st.
11	Cooper, Edward T.	71	Carpenter.	*
11	Wellington, Fredric,	31	Photographer.	*
12	Chadwick, George W.	33	Hostler.	*
12	Reynolds, Edward J.	22	Plumber.	Highland st.
12	Reynolds, Bertram,	24	Plumber.	*
12	Reynolds, Robert S.	58	Watchman.	*
13	Brackett, John H.	61	Overseer.	*
13	Brackett, Walter N.	38	Shoemaker.	*
13	Brackett, John C.	33	Clerk.	*
14	Prentiss, Joshua,	70	Paymaster.	*
15	Harris, Wesley T.	62	Foreman.	*
18	Whitney, George A.	42	Moulder.	*
21	Gaetes, James H.	30	Tailor.	*
22	Crosby, Abiel.	48	Conductor.	*
25	Hawes, Charles H.	44	Foreman.	*
27	Mullikin, Nelson C.	33	Rattan worker.	*
30	Poland, Edwin F.	36	Policeman.	*
	Austin, John W.	24	Conductor.	*
	SUMMIT AVENUE.			
9	Carlisle, Edward A.	44	Merchant.	*
10	Bagley, John T.	61	Carriage dealer.	*
13	Smith, Lucas,	48	Merchant.	*

Street No.	Name.	Age.	Occupation.	Residence last year.
15	Eaton, Will E.	34	Clerk.	*
22	Spencer, Charles H.	58	Lumber dealer.	*
26	Jones, Fred'k H.	33	Salesman.	*
SWEETSER STREET.				
4	Woodman, Alvin B.	55	Blacksmith.	*
11	Gowing, Ezra,	43	Carpenter.	*
19	Dingle, John,	38	Gardener.	*
22	Turner, Fred A.	40	Manufacturer.	*
23	Wheeler, Elmer J.	29	Druggist.	*
25	Lawrence, Henry,	60	Retired.	*
25	Lawrence, Warren G.		Expressman.	*
25	Lawrence, Herbert,	20	Shoemaker.	*
28	Cartland, William H.	29	Salesman.	*
28	Hobbs, George W.	69	Merchant.	*
30	Tuttle, Charles R.	44	Salesman.	*
30	Tuttle, Charles P.	21	Student.	*
37	Butterfield, Edward,	40	Heeler.	*
38	Spear, Horatio W.	38	Clerk.	*
38	Spear, John,	73	Retired.	*
39	Whiting, George N.	67	Crossing tender.	*
39	Whiting, James F.	31	Winder.	*
40	Beattie, William,	61	Shoemaker.	*
SHUMWAY CIRCLE.				
	Leonard, Clarence E.	40	Inspector.	*
	James, Samuel, Jr.	44	Landlord.	*
	Tucker, William,	29	Clerk.	*
	Bayley, William H.	26	Salesman.	*
	Sandford, Herbert V.	27	Designer.	*
STARK AVENUE.				
	Hyatt, Fred W.	34	Book-keeper.	*
TRAVERSE STREET.				
1	Donnelly, Bartholomew,	72	Rattan worker.	*
1	Donnelly, James J.	31	Clerk.	*
9	Cooper, Jacob T.	68	Carpenter.	*
10	Hurson, John N.	38	Carpenter.	*
11	Mortimer, William,	46	Rattan worker.	*
11	Phillips, Harry E.	25	Tinsmith.	*
11	Mortimer, Clifford,	21	Student.	*
12	McNamara, John,	27	Brakeman.	Charles st.

Street No.	Name.	Age.	Occupation.	Residence last year.
TRAVERSE ST., Con.				
13	McKeon, Patrick H.	49	Janitor.	*
14	Malonson, Florin J.	39	Reed worker.	*
15	Jess, Joseph,	64	Farmer.	*
16	McCarty, Michael,	27	Laborer.	*
16	McMahan, Michael,	25	Moulder.	Pleasant st.
20	Ayscough, Charles D.	50	Reed worker.	*
22	Lane, Maurice J.	34	Piano polisher.	*
22	Seannell, William D.	25	Plumber.	*
22	Seannell, John H.	31	Rattan worker.	*
	Balmforth, Elliot H.	36	Cabinet maker.	*
TURNBULL AVE.				
6	Hurley, John,	29	Rattan worker.	*
6	Roach, Martin J.	38	Laborer.	*
7	Duhig, Michael,	35	Rattan worker.	*
8	Dunagon, William,	31	Rattan worker.	*
8	Sullivan, John, 2d,	54	Weaver.	*
8	Sullivan, Jeremiah,	45	Shoemaker.	*
9	Ford, Frank D.	24	Rattan worker.	*
14	Dinan, William,	50	Laborer.	*
14	Curran, John,	38	Laborer.	*
17	Roach, John, 2d,	38	Laborer.	*
18	Sliney, John,	35	Laborer.	*
18	Sullivan, Timothy A.	21	Conductor.	*
VALLEY STREET.				
15	Mooney, James,	45	Laborer.	*
21	Shea, John F.	55	Carpenter.	*
22	Hickey, Cornelius,	49	Carpenter.	*
28	O'Neil, Thomas W.	30	Laborer.	*
28	O'Neil, William,	53	Shoemaker.	*
34	Munier, Theodore,	24	Clerk.	*
34	Munier, John A.	26	Cabinet maker.	*
34	Munier, Fred N.	36	Chair maker.	*
38	Landers, William,	27	Laborer.	*
46	Henry, John,	55	Laborer.	*
48	McCleary, Henry J.	46	Printer.	*
50	Devlin, James,	46	Tailor.	*
51	Sullivan, Patrick,	42	Moulder.	*
57	Sullivan, Jeremiah, 2d,	25	Mason.	*
58	Cronan, William,	50	Stone mason.	*
59	Barrett, Jeremiah,	44	Rubber worker.	*

Street No.	Name.	Age.	Occupation.	Residence last year.
59	Barrett, Daniel,	23	Laborer.	*
66	Shaughnessy, John,	35	Rattan worker.	*
66	Shaughnessy, Patrick,	41	Rattan worker.	*
66	Erker, Charles,	33	Fireman.	Somerville.
	O'Donovan, Daniel J.	47	Laborer.	*
	Ramburg, Peter,	47	Rattan worker.	Mechanic st.
	Brown, Charles,	28	Rattan worker.	Vernon st.
VERNON STREET.				
1	Webber, John,	70	Shoemaker.	*
2	Laetzsch, Frank H.	52	Rattan worker.	*
9	Finney, Lester K.	40	Milkman.	*
18	McMasters, Jonathan,	47	Farmer.	*
41	Townley, Albert S.	48	Shoemaker.	*
57	Ross, John W.	34	Farmer.	*
57	Skinner, Winfred,	26	Teamster.	Saugus.
57	Ward, William H.	33	Teamster.	Lowell st.
61	Pratt, Harris,	82	Retired.	*
69	Foster, James B.	62	Farmer.	*
106	Callan, Michael F.	21	Reed worker.	*
113	Forsythe, Charles R.	29	Teamster.	*
117	Hird, George A.	34	Conductor.	*
123	Wiley, William H.	36	Shoemaker.	*
131	Dowd, Patrick,	28	Farmer.	Boston.
133	Doucette, William F.	32	Carpenter.	*
139	Taggart, William,	36	Coachman.	*
140	Mellet, Edward,	65	Reed worker.	*
140	Mellet, Arthur N.	31	Reed worker.	N. J.
143	Newhall, Lucius E.	63	Retired.	*
144	Wiley, Elbridge A.	70	Shoemaker.	*
146	Blanchard, Charles,	27		*
155	McLeod, John,	31	Rattan worker.	*
155	Boyd, William F.	38	Farmer.	Central st.
156	Wright, Dexter C.	58	Farmer.	*
160	Flagg, Willis J.	42	Farmer.	*
160	Stoddard, Henry W.	31	Shoemaker.	*
165	Loughlin, Timothy,	56	Laborer.	*
165	Badger, Hiram L.	32	Shipper.	Elm st.
165	White, Amos,	24	Rattan worker.	*
172	Murphy, Daniel,	52	Laborer.	*
172	O'Neil, John,	33	Salesman.	*
178	O'Hea, Bartholomew,	76	Shoemaker.	*
178	O'Hea, Eugene A.	45	Mail clerk.	*

Street No.	Name.	Age.	Occupation.	Residence last year.
VERNON ST., Cont'd.				
478	O'Hea, Frank J.	27	Clerk.	*
178	O'Hea, John I.	40	Shoemaker.	*
180	Flanley, John,	45	Merchant.	*
182	Lannigan, Patrick,	63	Shoemaker.	*
184	Hurley, Michael,	66	Rattan worker.	*
185	Doyle, James,	61	Laborer.	*
185	Muse, Joseph. 3d,	28	Stone mason.	*
185	Muse, Simon,	30	Laborer.	*
185	Freeman, Walter,	50	Truckman.	*
185	Kane, Michael,	60	Peddler.	Emerson st.
186	Callan, John,	48	Rattan worker.	*
187	Sullivan, Thomas F.	39	Shoemaker.	*
187	Sullivan, William,	37	Shoemaker.	Chicago.
190	Maloney, Patrick,	21	Winder.	*
191	Sweeney, William,	52	Stone mason.	*
192	Hurley, James,	57	Rattan worker.	*
199	Welch, John, 3d,	24	Shoemaker.	*
199	Welch, James C.	21	Student.	Spring st.
200	Hourihan, Thomas,	38	Rattan worker.	*
	Muse, Ramie,	23	Stone mason.	Albion st.
200	Welch, Maurice, Jr.	28	Laborer.	*
200	Foley, Michael, 2d,	27	Rattan worker.	*
205	Gibbons, Thomas,	33	Rattan worker.	*
209	Whittekind, John,	42	Rattan worker.	*
211	Norton, John C.	34	Piano-maker.	*
211	Gates, Amos,	28	Laborer.	*
217	Richards, Albain E.	29	Framer.	*
217	Robin, Jeffrey,	25	Tinsmith.	*
235	Connell, Hugh.	39	Shoe dealer.	*
239	Anderson, Oscar,	31	Rattan worker.	*
239	Greany, Dennis,	49	Mason.	*
241	Anderson, Oscar A.	25	Painter.	*
241	Lofstrom, Augustus,	32	Rattan worker.	*
247	DeRoach, Henry,	46	Rattan worker.	*
247	Manning, William H.	40	Lather.	*
WALKER TERRACE.				
6	Nickerson, Charles B.	35	Provision d'ler.	*
6	Weston, William P.	57	Shoemaker.	Main st.
8	Gooch, Joseph L.	47	Builder.	*

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WALNUT AVE.				
	White, Foster,	31	Teamster.	*
	Giles, Thomas E.	52	Blacksmith.	*
	Giles, Thomas E., Jr.	23	Teamster.	*
	White, Joseph A.	36	Barber.	*
	Kennedy, John, 2d,	33	Teamster.	*
	White, William,	22	Teamster.	*
	Gates, William,	32	Laborer.	*
	Arthur, John,	28	Teamster.	*
WALTON STREET.				
	Dudley, Dean,	75	Publisher.	*
	Hoyt, Frank P.	41	Laborer.	*
	Whitford, John,	71	Retired.	*
WATER STREET.				
6	Wiley, Peter B.	47	Book-keeper.	*
6	Goodhue, Allie J.	23	Expressman.	*
6	Goodhue, James P.	43	Motorman.	*
8	Murphy, William J.	24	Rattan worker.	*
8	Dolan, Joseph.	47	Laborer.	*
16	Wood, William,	27	Core maker.	*
23	Tomlinson, Wm. E.	22	Clerk.	*
23	Laybolt, Josiah,	51	Merchant.	*
60	Van Wagner, Frank L.	31	Reed worker.	*
60	Brownell, James H.	39	Reed worker.	*
60	Curtis, Levi,	39	Salesman.	*
62	Cameron, James,	49	Teamster.	*
62	McDonald, James W.	37	Teamster.	*
86	Coleman, Daniel,	58	Shoemaker.	*
86	Coleman, Michael A.	51	Stove fitter.	*
86	Cuff, Richard J.	42	Agent.	*
87	Perrault, Joseph,	35	Reed worker.	*
96	Murphy, Thomas J.	41	Moulder.	*
98	Myers, Charles,	63	Shoemaker.	*
100	O'Leary, Cornelius,	43	Reed worker.	*
100	O'Leary, Arthur,	30	Reed worker.	*
105	Coleman, James A.	40	Rattan worker.	*
106	Putney, Caleb,	83	Retired.	*
108	Counihan, Cornelius R.	43	Baker.	*
112	Donohue, Timothy H.	32	Rattan worker.	*
112	Donohue, Daniel,	32	Laborer.	*
112	Donohue, Patrick F.	21	Rattan worker.	Wiley pl.

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	WATER ST., Cont'd.			
112	Donohue, John,	28	Rattan worker.	Brook ave.
113	Denehy, John,	26	Rattan worker.	*
114	Shannon, John,	29	Laborer.	*
114	Carlson, John,	33	Winder.	*
114	Gysell, Charles,	26	Carman.	*
114	Ives, Louis,	28	Foreman.	Newburyport.
114	Murphy, Henry,	35	Motorman.	*
115	Sullivan, Charles,	41	Motorman.	*
115	Fitzgerald, Thomas J.	49	Laborer.	*
115	Flagg, Hiram B.	48	Laborer.	*
117	Finneran, Patrick,	37	Rattan worker.	*
117	Kent, Albert,	36	Reed worker.	*
119	Redmond, Maurice,	49	Rattan worker.	*
119	Griffin, Michael.	31	Laborer.	*
119	Dunn, Edward J.	23	Shoe cutter.	*
119	Dunn, Thomas,	51	Retired.	*
120	White, Roland,	36	Laborer.	*
134	Dingle, Manuel.	23	Painter.	*
142	Dolan, James,	38	Weaver.	*
144	Lally, Patrick J.	26	Laborer.	*
144	Leonard, Joseph,	28	Trackman.	Newburyport.
144	Merritt, Gilman,		Laborer.	*
	Davis, Henry C.	26	Clerk.	*
	Franklin, Charles W.	24	Woodworker.	*
	Hamilton, John,	26	Painter.	*
	Heath, Walter,	29	Carpenter.	*
	Little, Albert E.	41	Motorman.	*
	McKenney, Fred,	36	Shoemaker.	*
	Manders, George,	40	Laborer.	*
	Roberts, Louis,	56	Shoemaker.	*
	Roberts, Walter P.	29	Shoemaker.	*
	Wiley, Enos,	79	Farmer.	*
	Wyatt, Benjamin A.	34	Engineer.	*
	Elliott, Milledge,	34	Piano-maker.	*
	Shaw, Charles F.	51	Rattan worker.	*
	Hennessey, James E.	51	Laborer.	*
	Keough, James H.	35	Armorer.	*
	Murphy, Frank,	23	Clerk.	*
	Colby, Charles W.	31	Motorman.	*
	Vint, Alfred W.	33	Clerk.	*
	Mote, Oscar,	24	Baggage m'ster.	Delaware.
	Connell, Edward O.	65	Foundryman.	*

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	Campbell, John,	30	Carpenter.	N. S.
	Atherton, Willard M.	29	Teamster.	*
	WAVE AVENUE.			
12	Hussey, Charles E.	42	School Supt.	*
16	Haskell, Harry A.	28	Clerk.	*
16	Haskell, Henry,	58	Shoe manuf'r.	*
16	Haskell, John A.	26	Clerk.	*
16	Haskell, Fred'k W.	20	Clerk.	*
22	Poland, J. Warren.	53	Merchant.	*
22	Poland, George M.	20	Student.	*
48	Moulton, George W.	66	Retired.	Reading.
	Bumpus, Fred H.	31	Shoe cutter.	*
	Knight, Willis H.	44	Shoe cutter.	*
	W. WATER STREET.			
8	Cox, George F.	48	Laundryman.	*
8	Cox, George,	71	Shoemaker.	*
10	Dunbar, George E.	42	Printer.	*
10	Lane, Loammi C.	67	Merchant.	*
10	Lane, Harry E.	37	Artist.	*
12	Harnden, John W.	44	Barber.	*
12	Scammon, Percival,	22	Clerk.	Boston.
12	Wilkins, Fred I.	34	Shoe dealer.	*
14	Dager, Haley F.	68	Crossing tender.	*
15	Ware, Arthur B.	50	Foreman.	*
15	Ware, Ashur D.	24	Clerk.	*
16	McAllister, David,	66	Retired.	*
16	Curtis, Clarence H.	48	Baker.	*
19	Taylor, Herbert H.	56	Salesman.	Bennett st.
19	Sherman, Sumner M.	24	Piano tuner.	Albion st.
20	Moses, George T.	33	Motorman.	*
20	Pope, J. Holman,	66	Machinist.	*
24	Mortensen, Thomas,	44	Moulder.	Auburn st.
24	Nicholson, Andrew,	36	Clerk.	Newhall ct.
	WILEY PLACE.			
7	Hennigar, Jonathan B.	56	Laborer.	*
8	Johnson, John H.	40	Shoemaker.	*
12	Bateman, Charles, 2d,	40	Rattan worker.	*
	Johnson, James,	53	Shoemaker.	*
	Johnson, John H.	40	Dealer.	*
	Hennigar, Richard F.	21	Rattan worker.	*

Street No.	Name.	Age.	Occupation.	Residence last year.
	WILEY PL., Cont'd.			
	Deveau, Raymond.	33	Rattan worker.	*
	Doucette, Henry F.	26	Laborer.	Oak st.
	Dolan, John W.	40	Rattan worker.	*
	WINN STREET.			
9	Hussey, William R.	34	Milkman.	*
9	Parsons, Aaron.	49	Piano-maker.	*
10	McGlory, Thomas,	34	Laborer.	*
10	McGlory, Frank,	33	Laborer.	*
	WILEY STREET.			
	Tyzzler, Ernest E.	22	Student.	*
	Tyzzler, George R.	65	Farmer.	*
	Edmunds, Rodney,	81	Farmer.	*
	Edmunds, Jesse C.	25	Farmer.	*
	YALE AVENUE.			
6	Flannigan, Wilbur J.	38	Clerk.	*
6	Sears, Harold B.	22	Draughtsman.	*
7	Smith, John M.	51	Moulder.	*
7	Townley, Calvin E.	50	Shoemaker.	*
9	Travis, Horace G.	52	Moulder.	*
9	Parker, Hoyt B.	59	Salesman.	*
12	Evarts, Noah R.	60	Clergyman	*
13	Rich, Edward A.	54	Merchant.	*
14	Deadman, William D.	55	Provision dealer.	*
14	Deadman, William F.	24	Book-keeper.	*
16	Howlett, Leroy E.	46	Shoe manuf'r.	*
16	Mudge, William A.	50	Retired.	*
17	Scovell, George H.	58	Salesman.	*
17	Scovell, Fred'k W.	85	Retired.	*
18	Verrill, Millard F.	43	Shoe trimmer.	Lowell.
19	Jordan, Winfield C.	37	Manufacturer.	*
21	Anderson, Clinton O.	62	Retired.	*
21	Davis, Albert P.	32	Clergyman.	*
21	Parker, Oswald A.	32	Dentist.	*
23	Gowing, Harry G.	31	Merchant.	*
25	Niles, Charles E.	63	Retired.	*
27	Bazin, Henry,	35	Salesman.	Park ave.
28	Britton, Richard,	59	Merchant.	*
28	Taft, William W.	38	Clerk.	*
29	Gilson, Harris L.	71	Retired.	*

Street No.	Name.	Age.	Occupation.	Residence last year.
30	Coon, William H.	22	Student.	*
39	Coon, William L.	55	Clerk.	*
30	Coon, John Lewis,	20	Clerk.	*
33	Hamilton, Samuel K.	60	Lawyer.	*
33	McDuffie, Lester,	33	Laborer.	*
33	Van Wagner, A. D.	30	Salesman.	*
34	Marshall, Levi W.	32	Civil engineer.	*
36	Cheney, Ernest L.	22	Student.	*
36	Cheney, Charles A.	46	Merchant.	*
38	Sanborn, Oliver G.	60	Inspector.	*
38	Sanborn, George O.	30	Messenger.	*
38	West, Charles C.	37	Clerk.	*
40	Miller, Frank D.	51	Shoe cutter.	*
45	Wiley, Henry E.	51	Florist.	*

STREET LIST

—OF—

PERSONS ASSESSED FOR POLL TAXES

In Precinct No. 2,

WAKEFIELD, MASS., IN 1898.

The (*) indicates that the person whose name is opposite resided at the same place last year as this year.

Street No.	Name.	Age.	Occupation.	Residence last year.
COOPER STREET.				
	Lassell, Charles A.	53	Retired.	*
	Hanson, Anthony,	55	Wire worker.	*
	Hill, Smith H.	66	Carpenter.	*
	Lassell, George H.	25	Reed worker.	*
	McQuarrie, Daniel,	40	Clerk.	*
	Brooks, Jacob,		Laborer.	Rutland st.
CRYSTAL STREET.				
	Collinson, John W.	25	Optician.	*
	Collinson, Francis E.	25	Optician.	Roslindale.
	Harding, David T.	55	Carpenter.	*
	Harding, Walter D.	24	Book-keeper.	*
	Kingston, Edmund H.	35	Letter carrier.	*
	Blank, Fred C.	34	Engraver.	*
	Greene, Willard B.	22	Optician.	Cambridge.
	Dolman, Andrew,	24	Optician.	Greenwood ave.
	Upton, Edgar,	47	Salesman.	Wyoming.
	Wolfe, Walter G.	33	Optical instr'ts.	Greenwood st.

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	EDMUNDS PLACE.			
	Alden, Zenas P.	59	Gardener.	*
	Alden, Harry P.	28	Restaurant.	*
	FOREST STREET.			
16	Dadley, William R. B.	64	Retired.	*
18	Dadley, Isaac N.	38	Carpenter.	*
20	Baxter, Augustus G.	64	Paper hanger.	*
20	Baxter, John A.	42	Salesman.	*
20	Baxter, Augustus M.	40	Paper hanger.	*
	Brooks, James L.	73	Cabinet maker.	*
	Brooks, John G.	76	Retired.	*
	Green, Dinsmore D.	39	Machinist.	*
	Green, Herbert,	40	Stone mason.	*
	Hawkesworth, Harry.	28	Surveyor.	*
	Sherman, John,	42	Crossing tender.	*
	Smith, James,	70	Rigger.	*
	Smith, Walter W.	24	Lineman.	*
	Gould, Arthur H.	24	Clerk.	*
	May, Alfred H.	30	Printer.	*
	FRANCIS AVENUE.			
	Fletcher, Ansel B.	59	Carpenter.	*
	Pendleton, Francis M.	55	Carpenter.	*
	Pendleton, Burton F.	25	Carpenter.	*
	Perkins, Joseph E.	57	Real estate agt.	*
	Potter, George H.	43	Shipper.	*
	McCrum, George,	37	Train d'spatcher.	*
	Wentworth, Joseph T.	37	Carpenter.	*
	Ellis, Francis M.	57	Laborer.	Cooper st.
	GRAFTON STREET.			
	Tinkham, F. M.	48	Foreman.	*
	McKinnon, Norman J.	27	Carpenter.	*
	Coulter, Leonard E.	41	Carpenter.	Brockton.
	Nickerson, Walter H.	28	Sail-maker.	Melrose.
	Rattrey, Alexander,	32	Brass finisher.	Roxbury.
	Blanchard, William,	32	Signal man.	*
	Stone, George F.	54	Clerk.	Melrose.
12	Starbuck, David J.		Painter.	Milton.

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	GREENWOOD ST.			
	Brown, James I.	76	Book-keeper.	*
	Harris, Fred L.	30	Book-keeper.	*
	Smith, Charles A..	69	Builder.	*
	Turner, Arthur G.	27	Poultry dealer.	*
	Lewis, Ralph,	29	Manufacturer.	*
	Morse, William S.	46	Salesman.	*
	Moore, Walter,	48	Lumber dealer.	*
	Champion, Peter I.	42	Lather.	*
	Nourse, Walter A.	35	Salesman.	*
	Turner, Otis G.	63	Telegraph oper.	*
	Vose, Charles F.	63	Book-keeper.	*
	Morse, Henry R.	65	Whitener.	*
	Lamphier, George,	66	Paper carrier.	*
	Murphy, Isaac B.	29	Compositor.	Boston.
	Norton, Frank L.	31	Insurance agt.	*
	Slack, John,	29	Salesman.	East Boston.
	Fletcher, Peter,	44	Painter.	Maine.
	GREENWOOD AVE.			
3	White, Mark C.	59	Retired.	*
7	Redlon, Irving T.	22	Salesman.	*
	Redlon, Charles T.	50	Salesman.	*
	Branch, George E.	31	Real estate agt.	*
	Hallett, Edgar A.	47	Chief of Police.	*
	Gray, Alex. H.	44	Clerk.	*
	Jacob, Joseph R.	32	Glazier.	*
	Jones, Charles E.	48	Clerk.	*
	Leet, William,	58	Carpenter.	*
	Lee, Edward E.	45	Grocer.	*
	Locklin, Charles W.	46	Lawyer.	*
	Marble, Joseph R.	61	Cook.	*
	McKay, John D.	45	Carpenter.	*
	Morrison, John A.	37	Carpenter.	*
	Morrison, Allen J.	27	Carpenter.	*
	Morrison, Daniel,	70	Carpenter.	*
	Morrison, Joseph D.	24	Carpenter.	*
	Ringer, Josiah H.	56	Salesman.	*
	Ringer, Thomas F.	28	Laundryman.	*
	Sale, John A.	52	Builder.	*
	McQuarrie, Allan.	45	Carpenter.	*
	Snow, Edwin W.	38	Grocer.	*
	Branch, William H.	64	Carpenter.	*

Street No.	Name.	Age.	Occupation.	Residence last year.
	Hayes, George J.	33	Shipper.	*
	Boyd, Fred W.	32	Carpenter.	*
	Cavanagh, Calvin,	29	Carpenter.	*
	Greenger, Edwin,	40	Shipper.	*
	Smith, Mitchell,	27	Carpenter.	*
	Van Deusen, Fred E.	26		
	Dolman, D. Currie,	28	Optician.	*
	Graves, James M.	34	Salesman.	*
	Jones, Julius A.	54	Builder.	Malden.
	Laundry, Fred A.	21	Car washer.	*
	Trefry, Percival F.	27		Roxbury.
	Diehlman, Otto,	32	Rattan worker.	Lowell st.
	Coburn, Octavius A.	42	Boot-maker.	Malden.
	Bucklin, Fred A.	39	Picture framer.	Vermont.
	Underwood, Wm. H.	38	Car cleaner.	*
GREEN STREET.				
	Barnes, Silas J.	49	Tinsmith.	*
	Flint, Luther W.	70	Shoemaker.	*
	Gates, Stephen M.	40	Farmer.	*
	Glass, Alexander,	60	Farmer.	*
	Glass, Robert,	25	Farmer.	*
	Mortensen, Martin,	28	Teamster.	*
	Gates, Willoughby,	40	Contractor.	*
GROVE STREET.				
	Cooper, John T.	36	Rubber worker.	*
	Newbegin, E. J.	65	Salesman.	*
	Newbegin, Irving B.	25	Machinist.	*
	Wood, George N.	43	Salesman.	*
	Parks, Arthur E.	46	Mason.	*
	Taylor, Charles E.	35	Painter.	*
	Blanchard, Pruden,	58	Laborer.	*
HANSON STREET.				
	Bartlett, Lee S.	37	Stone mason.	*
HIGH STREET.				
	Archibald, Ralph E.	54	Carpenter.	*
	Allen, Edgar B.	32	Engineer.	*
	Allbee, Arthur G.	24	Brass finisher.	*
	Trefrey, William S.	26	Clerk.	*

Street No.	Name.	Age.	Occupation.	Residence last year.
HOWARD STREET.				
	Cox, George I.	57	Mason.	*
	Felch, Oscar,	25	Mason.	*
	Roney, Alfred,	24	Painter.	*
	Sterrett, Harry,	25	Rubber worker.	*
	Colbath, George H.	30	Painter.	*
	Coulter, Richard F.	38	Carpenter.	*
	Lewis, Edwin.	46	Gardener.	*
	Kilday, John C.	32	Tel. operator.	*
	Coulter, George H.	38	Carpenter.	Pine st.
	Frederick, Philip,	24	Book-keeper.	*
	Kilden, John C.	30	Clerk.	*
	Leach, George J.	29	Inspector.	Chelsea.
	Stevens, Manson,	59	Milk dealer.	Spring st.
	McCallum, George,	31	Real estate.	Grafton st.
	Willey, George C.	27	Book-keeper.	Main st.
HILLIS AVENUE.				
	Dixon, Nathan L.	31	Clerk.	*
	McKie, William,	32	Carpenter.	*
	Mills, Hiram,	41	Carpenter.	*
KENDRICK ROAD.				
	Hutchinson, Demas C.	75	Carpenter.	*
	Kiander, Gustave B., Jr.	34	Manufacturer.	Oak st.
	Kiander, Lawrence A.	27	Book-keeper.	Oak st.
	McLain, John,	22	Carpenter.	*
	McLean, John,	58	Carpenter.	Madison av.
LEE STREET.				
	Anderson, George A.	47	Carpenter.	*
	Murdock, Charles,	31	Carpenter.	*
LINDEN STREET.				
	Duffill, Albert E.	33	Book-keeper.	*
	Stone, George W.	24	Conductor.	*
	Campbell, Pearl,	28	Real estate agt.	N. Y.
LINDEN AVENUE.				
	Draper, Francis,	37	Artist.	*
	Draper, Harry S.	35	Dentist.	*
	Locke, William H.	60	Asst. cashier.	*
	Tasker, Lyman H.	70	Retired.	*

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	Tingley, Charles E.	45	Manufacturer.	*
	White, Frank,	31	Ice-man.	*
MAIN STREET.				
662	Green, Isaac E.	67	Crossing tender.	*
	Darling, William,	74	Carpenter.	*
712	Kendrick, Rufus,	76	Salesman.	*
750	Heath, Nathan A.	43	Painter.	*
752	Walton, Solon,	66	High'y survey'r.	*
752	Park, Calvin W.	51	Steam fitter.	*
752	Furber, Ward C.	64	Clerk.	*
752	Bailey, George H.	50	Rest'r'nt keeper.	*
752	Grant, Fred,	21	Book-binder.	So. Boston.
754	Walton, Herbert W.	42	Painter.	*
756	Spooner, Sidney,	50	Printer.	*
760	Stewart, John I.	33	Carpenter.	*
766	Lewis, Edward,	38	Watchman.	Melrose.
766	Grover, Elbridge D.	48	Carpenter.	*
768	Eaton, Edward,	53	Station agent.	*
768	Flint, Luther W., Jr.	32	Vocal teacher.	*
771	Archibald, Wm. H.	33	Carpenter.	Oak st.
776	Marshall, William H.	38	Metal spinner.	*
776	Brooks, Percy M.	31	Electrician.	*
778	Thompson, Willard A.	44	Barber.	Oak st.
778	Makechnie, Hiram,	58	Salesman.	*
785	Thayer, Ashton H.	49	Insurance agt.	*
787	Stevens, Percy L.	22	Machinist.	*
792	Hook, John W.	51	Machinist.	*
792	Kimball, George W.	52	Jeweler.	*
796	Grant, Frank E.	46	Printer.	*
798	Alden, Dwight I.	42	Confectioner.	Malden.
798	Lenoir, Fred J.	29	Sign painter.	Green st.
801	Perry, Henry C.	67	Veterinary.	*
801	Perry, Leroy,	32	Veterinary.	*
803	Edson, Frank A.	45	Painter.	*
803	Terrill, A. Mack,	22	Book-keeper.	*
804	Barrs, George A.	44	Rubber worker.	*
804	Henfield, Henry G.	60	Poultry dealer.	*
804	Upton, Austin,	40	Farmer.	*
810	Gilman, Joseph M.	57	Salesman.	*
818	Gould, Mark F.	49	Milkman.	*
818	Weston, Arthur L.	33	Shoemaker.	*
818	Heath, Adelbert F.	27	Carpenter.	*

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MAIN ST., Continued.				
820	Jerome, Ernest A.	27	Milkman.	Somerville.
821	Hill, John T.	58	Hardware d'ler.	*
828	Young, Albert A.	60	Superintendent.	*
840	Pitman, Lawrence J.	61	Retired.	*
840	Pitman, Richard L.	35	Florist.	*
846	Kohr, Albert.	22	Salesman.	Melrose.
848	Watkins, Sidney G.	36	R. R. engineer.	N. H.
866	Flint, Silas W.	59	Merchant.	*
	Gammons, Edward J.	43	Rattan worker.	*
	Sohlberg, Carl E.	33	Barber.	*
	Sohlberg, F. R.	66	Retired.	*
	Willey, Herbert B.	29	Manager.	*
	Willey, John C.	65	Carpenter.	*
	Sanderson, Chester B.	38	Teamster.	N. Y.
	Barry, John.	29	Florist.	Stoneham.
	Turner, Lewis N.	36	Carpenter.	*
MADISON AVE.				
	Chase, Charles F.	44	Wood worker.	*
	Robeson, John C.	23	Carpenter.	*
	Young, Job C.	44	Carpenter.	*
	Chase, Harry T.	29	Salesman.	*
	White, James P.	52	Carpenter.	*
	Winch, Arthur H.	37	Packer.	*
	Crozier, Christopher J.	39	Painter.	*
	Murdock, James A.	23	Carpenter.	*
	Jenkins, Richard O.		Box maker.	
	Whipple, Albert M.	45	Laundryman.	Somerville.
	Eastman, Caleb A.	36	Fish dealer.	Somerville.
	Bearse, Benjamin B.	48	Engineer.	Dorchester.
MYRTLE AVENUE.				
	Adams, George L.	68	Machinist.	*
	Drake, Nathan L.	51	Rest'rant keep'r.	*
	Eldridge, Christoph'r C.	55	Painter.	*
	Eldridge, Arthur W.	20	Clerk.	*
	Harris, Stephen F.	45	Mason.	*
	Harris, Mortimer L.	25	Clerk.	*
	Kimball, Samuel.	84	Salesman.	*
	Lloyd, Andrew J.	48	Optician.	*
	Orme, Philip.	45	Jeweler.	*
	Robinson, Frank H.	41	Engineer.	*

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	Kilgore, George L.	62	Physician.	*
	Vaitses, Stephen,	38	Clergyman.	*
	Vlastos, Lincoln.	29	Machinist.	*
	Whittle, George E.	43	Motorman.	*
	Kimball, James H.	54	Physician.	*
	Phipps, George W.	34	Piano tuner.	*
	Hale, Henry,	30	Ticket agent.	Everett.
	Green, Samuel N.	45	Farmer.	Forest st.
	Harris, John,	76	Retired.	Crystal st.
	Bayley, James B. P.	42	Mason.	Edmands pl.
	MERRIAM STREET.			
	Lander, Frank P.	47	Wood moulder.	*
	MELROSE AVENUE.			
	DeMerritt, Charles,	34	Shoemaker.	*
	OAK STREET.			
	Ashenden, Thomas E.	26	Compositor.	*
	Ashenden, James,	22	Steam fitter.	*
	Evans, Lewis W.	23	Steam fitter.	*
	Caswell, Stephen E.	54	Fish dealer.	*
	Eaton, Willard G.	30	Piano maker.	*
	Evans, Daniel,	46	Mechanic.	*
	Fell, Thomas W. H.	37	Salesman.	*
	Griffin, W. Eugene,	40	Piano tuner.	*
	Griffin, Woodbury,	67	Shoemaker.	*
	Lee, William H.	60	Builder.	*
	Oliver, James,	78	Shoemaker.	*
	Savage, Harry W.	33	Broker.	*
	Savage, Henry H.	58	Broker.	*
	Staples, Frederick M.	40	Printer.	*
	Hines, John H.	38	Carpenter.	*
	Salholm, Herman,	33	Clerk.	*
	Sanford, C. Ernest,	28	Designer.	*
	Whiton, Edw. E.	49	Printer.	*
	Whiton, Charles E.	23	Student.	*
	Whiton, Everett B.	22	Agent.	*
	Norton, Joseph B.	24	Painter.	*
	Fletcher, Peter,	43	Painter.	Chicago.
	Lewis, Herbert,	24	Farmer.	
	Pinkham, William T.	44	Civil engineer.	
	Berry, Zethan,	58	Laborer.	Maine.

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OAK ST., Continued.				
	Litchfield, Edgar A.	33	Upholsterer.	Main st.
	Oliver, Everett W.	30	Salesman.	*
PARK STREET.				
	Lowe, Joseph K.	70	Weigher.	*
	Lowe, Louis F.	28	Lineman.	*
	Lowe, Stimpson H.	39	Machinist.	*
	Martin, John W.	44	Engineer.	*
	Berry, Charles,	44	Laborer.	*
	Hadley, Frank A.	45	S't m't'l w'ker.	Main st.
PINE STREET.				
	Chaderton, Henry,	33	Bag maker.	*
	Trefry, Albert L.	32	Sign writer.	*
	Johnson, Adolph E.	35	Machinist.	*
	Champion, Solomon,	44	Lather.	*
	Ross, Frederick H.	31	Engineer.	*
	Stewart, James,	36	Engineer.	*
	Abbott, Leman C.	33	Furnace dealer.	*
PITMAN AVENUE.				
	Hallgrin, John,	46	Slater.	*
	Moore, Gaston B.	36	Carpenter.	*
	Sunman, Charles W.	47	Slater.	*
	Bears, George W.	34	Carpenter.	*
	Brandt, Hendrick H.	28	Painter.	*
	Brandt, Isaac F.	62	Painter.	*
	Brandt, Herbert W.	24	Laborer.	*
	Holt, Isaiah,	46	Carpenter.	*
	McDonald, A. Loughlin,	48	Carpenter.	*
	McDonald, John Alex,	22	Stone mason.	*
	Woodbury, Joseph W.	47	Carpenter.	*
	McKay, Duncan W.	42	Pressman.	
	Scott, Walter C.	26	Carriage maker.	Chelsea.
	Maker, Edwin,	39	Stone mason.	*
PLEASANT STREET.				
	Palmer, Frank,	22	Tower man.	Denver, Colo.
SPRING STREET.				
	Boynton, Charles F.	64	Real estate agt.	*
	Boynton, Charles W.	30	Real estate agt.	*

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	Grant, French W.	36	Carpenter.	*
	Gerry, Frank W.	38	Salesman.	*
	Jones, Roy D.	24	Clerk.	*
	Oime, Charles W.	45	Merchant.	*
	Pendleton, Allen H.	45	Salesman.	*
	Robie, George F.	51	Book-keeper.	*
	Robie, Francis C.	23	Clerk.	*
	White, Ira E.	59	Musician.	*
	Waldron, Ernest G.	39	Salesman.	*
	Munn, Ralph,	25	Furrier.	*
	Swett, Alfred F.	38	Inspector.	*
	Upham, Walter,	24	Book-keeper.	*
	Holden, Walter W.	63	Carpenter.	*
	Holden, Archibald,	21	Clerk.	*
	Russell, Manson,	53	Painter.	*
	Haskell, William R.	22	Book-keeper.	
	Cheever, Albion N.	39	Baggage m'ster.	Melrose.
	VINE STREET.			
	Miller, Charles F.	58	Carpenter.	*
	Gordon, James N.	27	Steam fitter.	Stoneham.
	Lovejoy, Henry L.	46	Insurance agt.	*
	Doane, Emmet J.	31	Optician.	Main st.
	Caswell, Alanson W.	66	Foreman.	Stoneham.
	WARREN AVENUE.			
	Bears, Albert E.	37	Carpenter.	*
	Painter, Thomas H.	45	Carpenter.	*
	WOODLAND AVENUE.			
	Plummer, Henry G.	36	Steward.	*

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